


YEAR OF ATTACK



It has been a year of steady advances for the Allies in North Africa and Europe, but the road to Germany is still a hard one. Map spots key war events through the year following the British-American invasion of North Africa on the night of Nov. 7-8, 1942.

Key Events:

- Algeria: Allied Land at Oran, Casablanca and Algiers on Nov. 8, 1942
- Tunisia: Bizerte and Tunis Fall May 7
- Sicily: Sicily Invaded July 9
- Italy: American Land at Salerno Sept. 9
- France: Sardinia Falls Sept. 20; Nazis Driven from Corsica Sept. 30
- Spain: Madrid, Valencia, Barcelona, Santander, Bay of Biscay
- Germany: Berlin, Munich, Vienna, Prague, Warsaw, Krakow, Lodz, Poznan, Breslau, Danzig, Gdansk, Szczecin, Poznan, Breslau, Danzig, Gdansk, Szczecin

New Coal Contract Approved by Labor Board Vote of 11-1

Washington, Nov. 6.—(AP)—A long and bitter fight over coal miners' wages appeared virtually ended today with the War Labor Board's conditional approval of the Ickes-Lewis pay scale plan and a nod of assent from the United Mine Workers.

The WLB's principal reservation involves the formula for paying pieceworkers. But official union spokesmen observed: "We'll peacefully seek a solution of that and we'll go about the job of producing coal."

After seven months of controversy and four paralyzing strikes which cost the nation more than 40,000,000 tons of coal, this is the picture:

UMW president John L. Lewis has a memorandum agreement with fuel boss Harold Ickes; under it the coal coal mines who formerly received \$7 a day will receive \$8.50, agreeing to dig coal an hour longer, partly by halving his 30-minute lunch period. After his 40th hour underground he starts getting paid for travel at time and a half. In a six-day week his increase is about \$11.50, so that the average daily increase is closer to \$2 than \$1.50. His total week's earnings will be close to \$67. Some may earn more and the average would exceed \$60.

Provisions covering anthracite miners were fully approved. They grant 70 cents a day additional.

Few Chapters Remain

Only a few anti-climactic chapters of the 1943 coal drama appeared to remain: (1) The meeting of conditions which the WLB attached to its approval of the Ickes-Lewis agreement; (2) Determination of new ceiling prices, and (3) Restoration of the mines to their private owners.

The board voted 11 to 1 for approval, with public member Wayne L. Morse casting the lone dissenting vote. He denounced the policy of approving a contract "which appears to have been dictated at the point of the strike weapon."

The WLB resolution approving the Ickes-Lewis agreement provides for "clarification and re-submission as to (A) the provisions for payment of tonnage or piece workers and (B) the application of the provisions as to the pushing of cars in places where it is impracticable to deliver the cars to the working place other than by pushing."

Chairman Davis, in a letter to Ickes, reviewed the effect of the new scale on the hourly worker and added: "To make the same principle effective the travel time rate for tonnage workers should apparently be but two-thirds of that specified in the Illinois agreement."

The difficulty here lay in the fact that the Ickes-Lewis agreement incorporated all sections of the Illinois agreement not disapproved by the WLB in its decision last week. The WLB did not specifically disapprove the section dealing with tonnage workers. It maintains, however, that its disapproval of the rates for hourly-paid workers in the Illinois plan necessarily implied rejection of the formula for tonnage workers.

No serious difficulty is expected on the "car pushing" issue.

STEELWORKERS AROUSED

Philadelphia, Nov. 5.—(AP)—The United Steelworkers of America (CIO), which won the first industry-wide wage increase under the national wage stabilization program, was reported today for an attempt to crack the "Little Steel" formula.

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Writer Relates How Nazis on Volturno River Were Routed

By DON WHITEHEAD

With the Fifth Army on the Volturno river, Nov. 4.—(Delayed)—(AP)—In a sweeping midnight attack preceded by a terrific artillery bombardment from hundreds of guns, American units of the Fifth Army completely smashed the Nazis' upper Volturno river line last night and thrust the Germans back toward their new Cassino defense line.

As the creeping barrage moved forward across the river and the flat valley separating the Volturno from the rugged hills, American Doughboys waded the river and slipped into the deep shadows of the heavily-mined vineyards.

There boobytraps and anti-personnel mines left by the retreating Nazis took a heavy casualty toll among the Americans, but at dawn the Doughboys had worked their way across the 1,500 yards of flat lands and were inching a tortuous way up the mountains where the Germans sprayed them from dug-in machine-gun nests.

The town of Venafro fell to the relentless American attack in a stubborn, house-to-house battle with close artillery support breaking up one Nazi counterattack.

Austrian Surrendered

One Austrian who surrendered.

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Segregation Center at Tule Lake Under Strict Military Rule

Tule Lake, Calif., Nov. 6.—(AP)—Tanks, armored cars, machine-guns and fixed bayonets ruled the 16,000 Tule Lake Japanese with a firm hand today in the wake of America's first serious internment camp uprising of the war.

This huge segregation center for those proved disloyal to the United States, or suspected of being so, came under full Army control yesterday after another outbreak of violence in which 20 rebellious Japanese and at least one civilian were injured.

The War Relocation Authority

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Unruly Japanese Show No Inclination to Argue With Army

Joliet, Ill., Nov. 6.—(AP)—Some 500 of the 3,500 inmates of the Stateville prison today were confined to their cells and denied all privileges, officials disclosed, following outbreaks in the prison dining hall earlier this week.

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Disavowed

London, Nov. 6.—(AP)—The panics on display at a museum in Richmond, Va., were disavowed today by Lady Astor as being garments of her girlhood.

"I never heard such nonsense," she commented tartly through her secretary, and the latter added on her own account that preoccupation with panics in the middle of a war was a frivolous waste of time and telephones.

(The Valentine museum at Richmond disclosed yesterday that it had been given some plain white linen drawers such as a girl might have worn in 1890 and was "attributing" them as once the property of little Nancy Langhorne, the Virginia girl who became Lady Astor. The drawers have "Nancy" neatly embroidered on each leg and supposedly were handed down from one of Nancy Langhorne's teachers.)

DeMarigny Visits Own Cottage



The defendant in the spectacular Nassau murder trial was briefly freed from confinement when he accompanied the jury to his own home. Left to right: Count DeMarigny (sport shoes), Defense Counsel Godfrey Higgs, and Asst. Prosecutor A. F. Adderly (Negro) follow jurymen.

—NEA Telephoto

Kiev Fortress Falls to Reds

Senate Votes Post-War Peace Promise; Wants to Hear Hull

Secretary of State to be Invited to Tell Congress of Meet

Washington, Nov. 6.—(AP)—Senators who rolled up an 85 to 5 endorsement of the peace principle enunciated at the Moscow conference now want to have a first-hand account of the document from the man who helped make it possible—Secretary of State Cordell Hull.

A movement was promoted to invite Hull to address a joint session of senate and house upon his return from Russia.

Senator Lucas (D-Ill.) said such a convocation would show the world that the United States and its elected representatives are intensely interested in the cause of world peace and the establishment of machinery to maintain it.

While the final decision rests with Hull, it was learned that the movement for his appearance has the blessing of high government figures.

The showdown roll call on post-war policy came at 5:30 p. m. yesterday, cutting off two weeks' debate.

Fifty-one Democrats and 34 Republicans voted for the Connally postwar foreign policy resolution. Only senators Reynolds (D-NC) and Wheeler (D-Mont), Democrats, and Johnson (R-Calif.), Langer (R-ND) and Shipstead (R-Minn) voted no. Senator LaFollette (Prog-Wis), absent by reason of illness, had indicated before that he would have voted against adoption.

Text of Resolution

Following is the text of the post war resolution:

Resolved: That the war against all our enemies be waged until complete victory is achieved.

That the United States cooperate with its comrades-in-arms in securing a just and honorable peace.

That the United States, acting through its constitutional processes, join with free and sovereign nations in the establishment and maintenance of international authority with power to prevent aggression and to preserve the peace of the world.

That the senate recognizes the necessity of there being established at the earliest practicable date a general international organization, based on the principle of the sovereign equality of all peace-loving states, and open to membership by all such states, large and small, for the maintenance of international peace and security.

That, pursuant to the Constitution of the United States, any treaty made to effect the purposes of this resolution, on behalf of the government of the United States with any other nation or association of nations, shall be made only by and with the advice and consent of the senate of the United States, provided two-thirds of the senators present concur.

BROOKS' STATEMENT

Washington, Nov. 5.—(AP)—Senator Brooks (R-Ill.) in supporting passage of the Connally resolution today told the senate "I support this resolution reserving any definite future commitments so that we may truly preserve and protect the representative government of the United States."

Brooks said "This resolution, in my judgment and as far as I am concerned, is notice to the world, and to our chief executive, that the creation of any agreement for any international authority or international organization and participation in them by the United States is to be determined finally by the people of the United States themselves through their representatives in the senate of the United States."

"In supporting the present resolution," he said.

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Allies Smash Away Successfully in Italian Campaign

Allied Headquarters, Algiers, Nov. 6.—(AP)—Allied forces in Italy smashed away the last remnants of the Germans' powerful Massico Ridge-Trigno line in taking the key points of Vasto on the Adriatic and Venafro in the upper Volturno valley, it was announced today.

Forging ahead in the western sector, British patrols of the Fifth Army crossed the Garigliano river to prove the new line which the enemy has formed north of there.

Americans of the Fifth Army drove ahead into the mountains after occupying Venafro in a fierce fight in the tortuous upper reaches of the Volturno.

The Germans attached such importance to this mountain fastness that they threw a new division—the 305th infantry—into the fight in a last minute effort to save it, but even these fresh Nazi fighters from the north were routed by the Americans.

Bomb Albania Field

In the air war, American medium bombers knocked out a large portion of the German air forces operating from Albania with a heavy raid yesterday on Berat Kuvoq airfield in the center of the tiny country. The field was one of the bases from which the Germans were operating against Patriot forces in the Balkans.

There now are five German divisions in battle on the Fifth Army front, it was disclosed, and three opposing the Eighth Army.

In addition to a five-mile surge up the Adriatic coast to take Vasto, Eighth Army troops also made gains of a mile and a half in the region some 25 miles inland, capturing Pietracupa, Sessano and Duronia.

The Germans, who in recent days have been using tanks in the Adriatic coastal sector, resisted fiercely at Vasto, where their protective mountains run down to a shelf beside the sea. Along this shelf runs the coastal road to Pescara—the back door to Rome.

In striking to Vasto, the Eighth swept through San Salvo where the Germans had held out more than a week, and on the basis of reports from the front this morning the British are within 15 miles of the Sangro river, where the Germans undoubtedly will attempt another stand.

Capture of Bastion Announced Today by Premier Joe Stalin

Surprise Flanking Maneuver Forces Nazi Forces to Flee

London, Nov. 6.—(AP)—Kiev has fallen to the victorious Russian army, Premier - Marshal Joseph Stalin announced today in a special order of the day.

The key Dnieper river bastion and ancient capital of the Russians fell to soviet columns which had been poised above and below the city for weeks after the soviet offensive carried to the river barrier.

Suddenly, the Russian columns swung into action two days ago, blasting great holes through the Nazi positions and closing into the city.

The German high command had announced a few hours previously that the great fortress had been evacuated, with German troops pulling out under the threat of encirclement.

The German announcement, broadcast from Berlin, said also that other soviet columns had renewed their attacks on both sides of the Kerch Straits in the eastern Crimea, and against the Perekop isthmus, the northern entry to that peninsula.

Outflanking Maneuver

Stalin's announcement termed the assault which drove the Nazis from the ancient fortress "a gallant outflanking maneuver" which at daybreak "captured by storm the capital of the soviet Ukraine."

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Jap Warships Move on Rabaul Within Range of Gen. MacArthur's Planes

Possible 53 of Enemy Vessels Spotted by American Fliers

Southwest Pacific Allied Headquarters, Nov. 6.—(AP)—Possibly 53 Japanese heavy and light cruisers, destroyers, transports and freighters—new stakes in the deadly game raging to a decision in the Solomons—are moving on Rabaul from Truk to within range of massed hundreds of American bombers.

Already the first bombs have hit one of the five southbound convoys in what shapes up as likely to be the most violent action since a 22-ship convoy was destroyed by allied planes last March in the Bismarck sea off New Guinea.

Headquarters reported today the spotting of the enemy fleet units by sky patrols and a spokesman made clear their every move is being watched by this careful listing:

Nineteen ships—Five heavy cruisers, three light cruisers, five destroyers, two corvettes, a whaling ship and three large freighters or transports—seen Thursday northwest of New Ireland. A Liberator shadowed and photographed this force for two hours.

Nine ships—Destroyers and possibly some cruisers—sighted Friday 60 miles from Kavang.

Destroyer Bombed

Ten ships—A heavy cruiser, five destroyers, three cargo ships and a tanker—spotted moving in two sections Friday north of Mussau island, and one of the destroyers was bombed.

Nine ships—Two heavy cruisers, four light cruisers and three destroyers—seen Friday 200 miles northeast of Mussau.

Six ships—Three destroyers and three cargo vessels—attacked by Liberators Wednesday while 135 miles northeast of Kavang. One cargo ship was listing heavily and another afire by bombs dropped as the destroyers filled the sky with ack ack and 20 escorting enemy fighters tore into the Liberators.

Four and possibly seven Interceptors and one of the Liberators were shot down into the sea.

Japs to Risk Much

There was some likelihood of duplication in the reports of aerial spotters but it remained evident Japan is preparing to risk much in trying to hold on to Bougainville, her last big base in the Solomons, and to menace New Britain which bars the open sea lanes to the Philippines.

Already Japan has lost a cruiser and four destroyers, as well as sustaining damage to two heavy cruisers and two destroyers, in a naval battle fought early Tuesday near the beachhead now rapidly being consolidated by U. S. Marines at Empress Augusta Bay on Bougainville's west-central coast.

Later that same day, three more destroyers were sunk and two heavy cruisers damaged by allied bombers at Rabaul.

SUPPLIES FOR CHINESE

By THOBURN WIAIT

With United States Air Transport Supplying Advancing Chinese Troops in Northern Burma, Nov. 3.—(Delayed)—(AP)—I flew today in a formation of escorted United States transports which dropped tons of supplies—some with parachute and some without—to the aggressive Chinese soldiers who already have occupied the upper Hukawng valley from the source of the Chindwin river in the Naga hills southwest for a distance of 40 airline miles.

The Chinese are making their first advance into Burma since the failure of the British-Indian western campaign several months ago. They have been supplied by air since last April.

Frig. Gen. Hayden Boatner, Lt. Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell's chief of staff, directing the Chinese advance, said "the air dropping unit deserves more credit for the success of this operation than any other 'angle organization'."

Major Frank Sears, 26, of Kemmerer, Wyo., is in charge of the air droppers who are enabling the Chinese to push the Japanese back day after day. Capt. Ferd

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Complete Returns of Kentucky Poll

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 6.—(AP)—Two Democratic nominees for state offices managed to withstand the Republican tide in Tuesday's general election, complete but unofficial returns showed today.

The Republicans elected Simon S. Willis as governor, and won the race for lieutenant governor and five other state officials, but Brooks L. Hargrove, Louisville Democrat, nosed out his Republican opponent by a majority of only 51 votes to win the Court of Appeals Clerk contest and A. E. Funk, another Democrat, was elected attorney general.

Complete but unofficial reports gave Willis a margin of 8,303 votes over J. Lyter Donaldson, Carrollton Democrat, Kenneth H. Tuggle of Barbourville defeated William H. May of Prestonsburg for lieutenant governor by a vote of 265,646 to 264,626.

Other state officials elected by the Republicans were secretary of state, auditor, treasurer, superintendent of public instruction and commissioner of agriculture.

The Democrats retained control of the legislature, holding a 23-15 edge in the senate and a 56-42 margin in the house with two house contests still unreported.

Washington Saves Curran From Army

New York, Nov. 6.—(AP)—A Washington order placing president Joseph Curran of the CIO National Maritime Union in a 2-A draft classification was on file with his local board today, and the New York selective service director said "by all indications, Mr. Curran will not be inducted into the armed forces."

The 2-A order, issued by Major General Lewis B. Hershey, national director of selective service, certified that Curran's work as head of the seamen's union was "essential to civilian activity" in wartime.

Curran's local board had granted him deferment as a seaman, but the appeals board revoked it and the NMU appealed to President Roosevelt. The latter appeal resulted in Hershey's order, which gives Curran six months deferment from October 23. The union leader meanwhile will become 38 years old, on March 1.

U. S. Marines Occupy Totokimo on Thursday

South Pacific Advanced Allied Headquarters, Saturday, Nov. 6.—(AP)—United States Marines occupied Totokimo island off Cape Totokimo in Bougainville's Empress Augusta Bay without casualties two minutes after midnight Thursday.

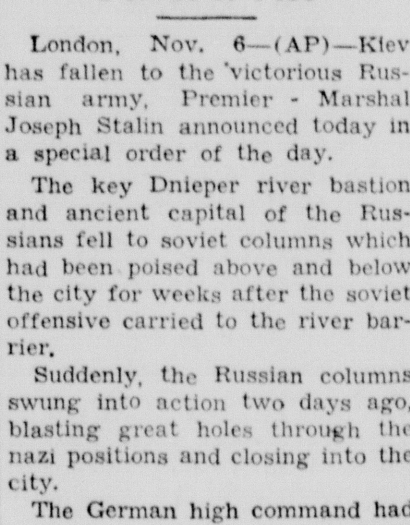
A few Japanese were killed but no prisoners were taken.

Twenty-nine Japanese bodies were found on Puruata island which was occupied Tuesday.

A few prisoners have been taken on Bougainville itself but only minor patrol action is reported from here.

(This dispatch specified Totokimo island and Cape Totokimo. Other dispatches have referred to the bay on whose tip the first landing occurred Monday. It was not clear whether these are identical locations.)

Red Army Thrusts Westward



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The Weather

SATURDAY, NOV. 6, 1943

Illinois: Cloudy with occasional light rain today. Showers south and rain north portion tonight, becoming partly cloudy Sunday. Slowly rising temperatures today and tonight, colder Sunday.

LOCAL WEATHER

For the 24 hours ending at 6:30 p. m. (Central War Time) Friday—maximum temperature 55, minimum 36; part cloudy; precipitation .15 inches, total for November to date .38 inches, total for year to date 28.08 inches.

Sunday—sun rises at 7:37 (CWT), sets at 5:52.

Monday—sun rises at 7:36; sets at 5:51.

THE WAR TODAY

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

Two days ago this column reported that the Japanese militarists who rule Nippon, recognizing they are doomed to defeat in this war, were said to be consolidating their new bloc of Asiatic nations with the idea of leading them against the white races twenty-five years hence.

Since then representatives of the Jap government and five puppet states have met in Tokyo to establish "The Assembly of Greater East Asiatic Nations." These countries are the new Philippine republic, the Nanking government of occupied China, Thailand, Burma and Manchukuo.

There lies another grave threat of a terrible war of races. True, only two of these controlled states—Thailand and Burma—appear to be offering the Japs wholehearted support. However, it's a disquieting fact that some of the others are giving a considerable degree of cooperation—unwilling, perhaps, but still cooperation.

What is the answer of the United Nations to this menace? It seems to me that our action must be divided into two operations: (1) The defeat of Japan and her supporters in this war, and (2) removal of the grievances and heartburnings which tend to turn the people of the orient away from the western world, and make possible the formation of an Asiatic bloc which is built on animosity toward the white races.

In the first place the Japs must be smashed and rendered utterly impotent to make war again. This cuts deeper than the surrender and disarmament of Nippon, for Japanese aggression comes from the malignant growth of militarism.

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Ration Stamps

GOOD TODAY

Meats, fats, etc.—Book three brown stamps G and H good through Dec. 4.

Processed foods, jams, etc.—Green stamps A, B, and C in book four good through Dec. 20; book two blue stamps X, Y and Z valid through Nov. 20.

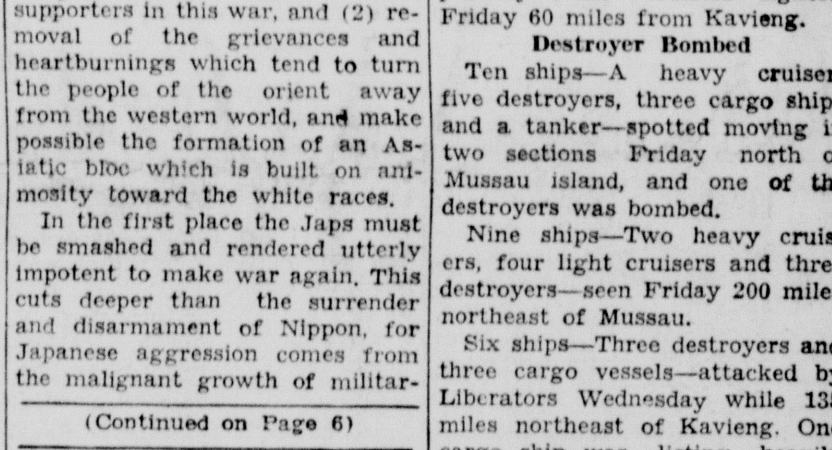
Sugar—Stamp 19 valid for five pounds of sugar through Jan. 15, 1944.

Shoes—Book one stamp 18 and stamp 1 on "airplane" sheet of book 3 good indefinitely.

Gasoline—8-A coupons worth three gallons; B and C coupons worth two gallons.

Fuel oil—New season's period 1 coupons valid through Jan. 3, 1944, worth 10 gallons per unit, with most coupons worth several units each.

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FRANKLIN GROVE

MISS GRACE PEARL

Correspondent

If You Miss Your Paper Call
Melvin Watson

New Programs

The new programs for the Woman's Work and the Aid society of the Church of the Brethren have been given to the members. The officers for the district council of Woman's work is composed of the following:

President—Mrs. D. D. Funderburg, 1072 W. Chicago street, Elgin.

Vice President—Mrs. E. M. Hersch, Elgin.

Sec. Treas.—Mrs. O. D. Buck, Franklin Grove.

Home Builders—Mrs. Dan Fierheller, Freeport.

Missions—Mrs. Earl Eikenberry, Sterling.

Aid Director—Mrs. Carl Smucker, 2709 W. State street, Rockford.

National Council of Women's Work

President—Mrs. Rufus Bowman, 837 Humphrey Ave., Oak Park.

Sec. Treas.—Annetta C. Mow, 22 S. State street, Elgin.

Aid Society—Mrs. Harper, 3560 Congress street, Chicago.

Missions—Mrs. William Beahm, 3500 Congress street, Chicago.

Home Builders—Mrs. Dan West, Goshen, Ind.

Local Women's Work Council

President—Mrs. Alma Fair.

Vice President—Nina Parks.

Sec. Treas.—Ruth Hussey.

Aid Society—Anna S. Buck.

Peace and Temperance—Bernice Group.

Home Builders—Delois Reynolds.

Aid Society Officers

Director—Mrs. Anna S. Buck.

Sec. Treas.—Ruth Hussey.

Supt.—Lennie Buck.

Assist.—Letha Blocher.

The regular meeting of the Women's Work will be held November 10, an all-day meeting with a scramble dinner. Hostess, Mae W. Miller; work chairman, Lulu Smith; program, "Peace," in charge of Mrs. Bernice Group.

Supper Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hussey and family entertained for supper Thursday night, Corp. and Mrs. Lloyd Bucher of Tampa, Florida, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cook and family of Ashton.

Birthdays Honored

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kelley and family entertained with dinner Wednesday night in honor of their daughter Rosemary and Judy Stultz who were celebrating their birthday anniversaries. Those present were their great-grandmother, Mrs. Ella Miller, their grandmothers, Mrs. Ruth Kelley and Mrs. Kathryn Conlon.

Getting Better

We received a card from Ira Buck recently, who is confined to the Presbyterian hospital in Chicago. He says "I have been very ill since coming here and had several conditions that were hard to combat, but looks now as if I am coming through O. K. I can't praise this hospital too much, for they are all right. My friends have been very good in sending cards and letters, all of which have been much help and I sure thank everybody for them." There is no one in this community who has more friends than Ira Buck and all are pulling for him to return home soon.

Elected Officers

The Crossroads Community club resumed their meetings Friday evening, October 22, after the summer vacation. Election of officers resulted as follows:

President—Fred Kesselring.

Vice President—Mrs. Virgil Page.

Secretary—Mrs. Arthur Hullah.

Treasurer—Mrs. C. W. Ross.

Clayton Kesselring gave a demonstration of paper products, followed by games and stunts and refreshments were served.

Klio Club

Mrs. Kathryn Herbst entertained the Klio club at her home Tuesday afternoon for her mother, Mrs. Grace Stultz, who is visiting.

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Church of the Brethren

Sunday school at 10:00 a. m.

Kenneth Proutz, superintendent.

Inspector

The Men's Bible class and the

men's Berean class have united

and form a fine Bible class of

men with the Rev. O. D. Buck as

teacher. If there are men of the

community who do not have a

habit of attending Sunday school,

you will do well to come and see

how fine the association of this

class is and what a fine way to

study the Bible.

Morning worship at 11 a. m.

The subject of Christian Baptism,

being the fourth in a series of

discussions on the church. The

church has a visible place in the

Kingdom of God.

The evening service will begin

with C. W. and Y. P. D. at 7:15

and will be followed by worship

and sermon at 8 o'clock. All are

invited.

The Ladies Aid will meet on

Wednesday. Also the Women's

Work will meet at the same time

with an all day meeting and

scramble dinner. You are wel-

come.

Choir rehearsal at 8 p. m. on

Wednesday.

Attended Rally

The young people of the Church

of the Brethren held their fall

rally at Naperville, Ill. on last

Sunday afternoon and evening.

They report a fine meeting.

There were nine of the young

people who attended from Frank-

lin Grove and they were accom-

panied by Mr. and Mrs. Howard

Byer and the Rev. and Mrs. S. L.

Cover.

Lutheran Aid

The Aid society of the Luther-

an church will meet Thursday

afternoon, November 11 with

Mrs. George Johnson of west of

Dixon. A good attendance is de-

sired.

Priscilla Club

The regular meeting of the

Priscilla club will be held next

Wednesday afternoon with Mrs.

Lois Gross. Note change of

place from Mrs. Elizabeth

Crawford to Mrs. Gross.

School News

Education Week:

Next week, November 8-13,

marks the Twenty-third observa-

nce of Education Week. This

observance is sponsored jointly

by the National Education Asso-

ciation, American Legion, U. S.

Office of Education and the Na-

tional Congress of Parents and

Teachers. Besides these national

organizations, local and state

organizations are cooperating. This

year the theme "Education For

Victory" has been established.

In Illinois, the Illinois Educa-

tion Association is sponsoring a

broadcast to open the week, from

station WLS at 11:00 a. m. Gov-

ernor Green will start the pro-

gram with a 15 minute talk. Par-

ents and others who are interest-

ed in schools should tune in on

this program.

Franklin Grove schools extend

a welcome to all those in the

community who are interested in

education, to visit school at least

once during the week.

Senior Pictures:

The seniors received their

proofs of the pictures taken Oc-

tober 22, 1943. The finished pic-

tures will return the first part of

December.

Basketball Notes

This year the basket ball sea-

son, started with about 20 boys

turning out to practice. Most of

these boys consist of freshmen

and sophomores with a couple of

juniors and one senior.

The boys have done a little

fussing about the conditioning

exercise, but they all realize they

have to be in condition to play

the game of basketball now. It is

a lot faster game than it used to

be.

The boys who are out for basket-

ball are such fellows as Lyle

Dierdorff, Melvin Watson, Stan-

ley Hullah who are all three

small boys, and the larger boys

are Wayne Shaulis, Maurice

Hecaman, Tom Crowell, Gerald

Miller, Don Kuhn, George Torti,

Bill Parker, Don Baker LuVerie

Schafer, Fred Craig and some

more freshmen and sophomores.

These boys are working hard to

have a well balanced team this

year. They are also trying to

get into condition to stand the

toughest of teams, and even

though they are small, maybe,

the conditioning and speed will

offset their smallness in size.

All School Halloween Party

October 29, the student council

sponsored an all-school party at

which the freshmen and the new

teachers were initiated. The in-

itiation committee, consisting of

Don Kuhn, chairman; Melvin

Watson, Wayne Shaulis, and Lyle

Dierdorff, took over as soon as

the freshmen assembled. Follow-

ing the initiation, the game com-

mittee consisting of Patsy Gil-

bert, chairman; Geraldine Black-

burn and Betty McDivitt, and

Marianne Schwab, led the games

for the entire group. After the

games, the refreshment commit-

tee—Jackie Canode, chairman;

Dorothy Karper, Lois Straley,

and Ruth Torti served good eats.

The Halloween decorations were

originated by Ben Smith, chair-

man; Arlene Ives, Maurice Heck-

man, and Stanley Hullah. At the

end of the evening, dancing to

records was provided.

Presbyterian Church

9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.

9:50 a. m.—Morning worship.

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Society News

Margaret Wagner Will Soon Report for WAVE Training

Miss Margaret Jean Wagner, 519 Highland avenue, Dixon, has been sworn into the enlisted branch of the WAVES, it was announced in Chicago recently by the Women's reserve headquarters at the Board of Trade building.

She will receive her orders in the near future and will report for general indoctrination at the WAVES school at Hunter College, New York City. Upon completion of this five-weeks' course she will receive additional specialized training at one of the many WAVES training schools located throughout the country. Individual preference plus the results of psychological and aptitude tests will determine the specialized training the new enrollee will receive.

Opportunities in the WAVES include the following training courses: Radio, hospital corps, parachute rigging, link trainer instructors, control tower operators, aviation machinists' mates, aviation metallurgists, yeomen and storekeepers. Graduation from one of these schools will qualify an enlistee for petty officer rating.

Miss Wagner is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. C. L. Wagner of this city. Her father, who is pastor of Emmanuel Lutheran church, participated in World War I, and is now chaplain of Dixon Post American Legion.

Prior to enrolling in the WAVES Miss Wagner worked as a bookkeeper for the Dixon National bank.

READING CIRCLE

The November meeting of Nachusa Teachers' Reading circle met on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Lillian Peterson, with Mrs. Beth Barnhart and Alice May Morris as co-hostesses.

Two very interesting reports were given by Mary Jane Boynton and Mrs. Iva Callahan. After a business meeting Christmas suggestions were given, and the hostesses served refreshments.

BIRTHDAY CLUB

Mrs. Hazel Cashion entertained members of the Lucky Thirteen Birthday club at her home on Highland avenue this week, in honor of Mrs. George Tyler, Jr. Bunco was played with prizes going to Mrs. Jennie Tyler, Mrs. George Tyler and Mrs. Guy Taylor. A birthday luncheon concluded the evening.

RELIEF CORPS

Dixon Woman's Relief Corps, No. 218, will meet Monday afternoon at G. A. R. hall at 2:30 o'clock.

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GIRL SCOUTS OF TROOP FOUR EARN GARDEN BADGES

An interesting display of vegetables and canned goods can be seen in Villager's Drug store window, and it is the work of Girl Scout troop number four, of North Central school. Mrs. Norman Dietrich is the leader. The "last of the crop," so to speak, but the work that these young people did this summer in the community Girl Scout project was worthy of much praise.

Under the supervision of Mrs. Dietrich, Miss Grace Ritson, executive secretary of Girl Scouts, and Mrs. Dietrich's assistant leaders, Mrs. Winnifred McDowell and Mrs. Bernard Schreiber, this year's Victory Garden of the girls was a complete success.

Besides selling fresh vegetables all summer, they saw to it that a lot of the crop was canned for winter consumption.

Ben Billinger loaned a lot at the end of North Hennepin avenue this summer for the Scout project and in this manner they were afforded the opportunity to earn their gardeners' badge. Their crop this year included root celery, tomatoes, sweet potatoes, cabbage, beets, carrots, cauliflower and parsley. Money they derived from the sale of vegetables goes into the scout fund.

New projects for the winter include work on USO scrap books and arm bands for their patrols. Those who earned their gardeners' badges this summer were Beverly Billinger, Ann Chapman, Mary Lee Scales, Ann Beamblossom, Martha Ann McNichols, and Frances Ogden.

An event of this month will be a "cook-in" at the Billinger home. This will give the girls more credits for their cook badge.

Still another event on the calendar will be a play some time in the near future. In preparation for this the scouts are studying dramatics and pantomime. Looks like they have a busy schedule.

UNITY GUILD MEETS WITH MISS SWARTZ

Unity Guild held their Thanksgiving meeting with Miss Carrie Belle Swartz of North Galena avenue Thursday, with a chicken dinner served at noon. The afternoon was pleasantly spent in knitting and listening to a program of music, reading of varied clippings, and three readings by Mrs. Adolph Eichler.

The Christmas meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Maria Stackpole.

VISITING HERE

Mrs. Wilbur Stone of Walnut is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Alshouse. Mrs. Stone is a sister of Mrs. Alshouse.

Other guests of Mrs. Alshouse this week included Mrs. Junior Noble, Mrs. Jean Hubbel and Mrs. Loretta Thompson, also of Walnut, on Thursday at dinner.

Dessert-Bridge and Shower for Mrs. Kent Stuart

Mrs. Lyle Myers, Mrs. Kent Leeper, and Mrs. Clarence Vroegindewey, entertained at the Leeper home Thursday evening with a dessert-bridge and shower party in honor of Mrs. Kent Stuart (Helene Krug) whose marriage took place this summer.

Mrs. Dean Hey held high score at bridge, Mrs. Mark Keller, Jr., second, and Mrs. Josephine Killen, consolation.

DOROTHY CHAPTER O. E. S. ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

At a stated meeting of Dorothy Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, last evening, election of officers took place as follows: Alberta Utter, worthy matron; Clinton Utter, worthy patron; Ruth Brown, associate matron; Charlie Swim, associate patron; Mable Santelman, conductress; Maude Mobbs, associate conductress; Mazie Hoberg, secretary, and Frances Patrick, treasurer.

The worthy matron's report was heard at this meeting, and was followed by refreshments and favors. Public installation will be held on the 19th of this month at the Masonic Temple.

"CHARIVARI" AND SHOWER PARTY IN HONOR OF HEATONS

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Heaton entertained Mrs. Lela Holtzhauer, their daughter, Sharon, and their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Heaton, who were recently married, at dinner Thursday evening.

Later in the evening about 50 relatives and friends came to their South Dixon home for a "charivari" and miscellaneous shower for the newlyweds. Mr. and Mrs. Heaton received many useful gifts. At the close of the evening refreshments were served.

HIGHLAND CLUB

Mrs. Albert Petit, 115 Patrick Court, will be hostess to members of the Highland Avenue club on Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

Calendar

Monday

AC chapter, P. E. O.—Mrs. H. A. Lancaster, hostess, 2:30 p. m.
Dixon Woman's club — Board meeting; Mrs. L. C. Street, 7:30 p. m.
Gamma Mu, Beta Sigma Phi—Formal Banquet.
Fortnites club—Fr. and Mrs. Joseph Mason, hosts, 7:45 p. m.

Dixon Woman's Relief Corps—Will meet at G. A. R. hall, 2:30 p. m.
Tuesday
Practical club—Mrs. E. V. Mellott, hostess for dessert luncheon; will meet at the Nachusa hotel Red Cross rooms.
Job's Daughters — Stated meeting, 7 p. m., Masonic temple.
Highland Avenue club — Mrs. Albert Petit, hostess, 7:30 p. m.
First Church of Christ Scientist—Free lecture by Richard J. Davis; Loveland Community House, 8 p. m.
Patrician club—St. Mary's auditorium, 7:30 p. m.

MORRISON WOMAN'S LEAGUE HEARS ATTY. RUTH MERRICK

Attorney Ruth Leydig Merrick was speaker at the November meeting of the Morrison Woman's League Thursday afternoon when 48 members were present. Four new members were presented by the membership chairman, Mrs. Myron Rogers, who were Mrs. John Honens, Miss Alice Moulton, Miss Ida Oakley and Mrs. Irvin Hines. Mrs. Glenn Craddock, president, presided and Miss Ruth Caughey lead the group in singing, with Mrs. Jones E. Corwin playing the accomplishments.

The salute to the flag was lead by Mrs. Craddock. The new flag which was recently purchased, was in place on its standard to the right of the presiding officer. The members voted to give \$5 to the Girl Scouts and \$5 to the national war fund. Mrs. J. R. Collogan reported for the war service committee, and Mrs. F. S. McCulloh for the finance committee.

Mrs. Glen Noonan, program chairman, presented Mrs. Merrick who spoke on the topic, "Our Problems of 1944." Attorney Merrick proved to be a most engaging speaker. In her remarks she went back to the time of Socrates who searched for the wisest man of his day. He came to the conclusion that the wise man is the one aware of his own inability to know everything. Socrates gave us the scientific thinking of today. In spite of the handicaps "right" always wins she said. Then she discussed our own constitution relative to our problems of today. She went back to the time of the Continental congress.

She then spoke of how our own constitution has stood the testings of over 150 years. Our constitution has been tried and is true. We should not be too ready to accept any other plan that would be presented to take the place of our constitution, as it has been tested while other things offered by other countries such as a world court, etc., as a substitute for it have not been tested. A plan for peace that would be presented in future should not be accepted lightly.

Our biggest problem is that of future peace. The main question of 1944 is what are we to believe is the best plan for world peace. Mrs. Merrick said that she felt that a world court would be the best method. Following the program, refreshments were served by the hostesses, of which Mrs. Frank Petersen was chairman. The other hostesses were Mrs. Ben Anderson, Mrs. L. V. Bradley, Ruth E. Caughey, Mrs. Joe Dahm, Mrs. Wm. Getty, Mrs. Perry Hughes, Mrs. Ralph Knox, Beatrice Mathews, Mrs. C. D. O'Harrow, Mrs. Myron Rogers, Mrs. Frank L. Smith, Mrs. James Lathe, and Mrs. Glenn Whistler.

LITERARY CLUB PLANS SUPPER

Hostess for members of the Twentieth Century club Thursday evening was Mrs. V. L. Carpenter. Guests heard Mrs. Clarence Sproul give a paper on "Changes in Transportation," and Mrs. Russell Byers give a paper on "New Methods in Industry."

The next meeting will be held on November 18, at the home of Mrs. George Thompson. Mrs. Gordon Bennett will be co-hostess. This will be a scramble supper meeting.

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By ALICIA HART

NEA Staff Writer

The postman, of whom it is written "neither snow, nor rain, nor heat, nor gloom of night, stays these couriers from the swift completion of their appointed rounds," has nothing on the busy women workers of today.

Though cold weather and damp nights may not take their toll on workers' goings and comings, they will get in a lot of dirty work in rough and reddened skin, unless anti-chap measures are taken.

Sheer hose will never look as lovely as they do on the glamorous gams of shapely film star Evelyn Keyes, one of the screen's "Dangerous Blondes," if the skin on your legs becomes scaly during the harsh weather ahead.

Evelyn says she keeps both her arms and legs satin smooth the year round by using a non-greasy lotion after her morning bath and at night before retiring. Just a few drops, massaged gently into the skin until it disappears, is sufficient.

Whatever natural oils have been dried out during the day are thus restored. And, Evelyn finds, that keeping her ankles and the backs of her heels as soft as silk cuts down wear and tear on hose.

BOARD MEMBERS OF HOME BUREAU HAVE LUNCHEON PARTY

The retiring board of the Lee County Home Bureau unit enjoyed a luncheon at The Coffee House this noon, and a theater party following to have a last get-together and close the year's activities.

Mrs. Earl Auman is president; Mrs. Carl Rosencrans, vice president; Mrs. Ralph Johnson of Amboy, secretary; Mrs. Hart of Ashton, treasurer; Mrs. Archie Brown, minor project chairman; Mrs. Ralph Heath, Steward, 4-H chairman; Mrs. Roy Kenney, Mrs. Gust Gauer, Sublette, recreation chairman; and Mrs. Norman W. Dietrich, music chairman. Also in attendance will be Miss Barrington, Lee county home advisor.

Mrs. Auman, Mrs. Rosencrans, Mrs. Heath and Mrs. Kenney will retire from office this year. The other officers will continue next year.

POSTPONE MEETING

South Dixon Home Bureau unit is announcing the postponement of their meeting until November 30, at which time it will be held at the home of Mrs. William Hoyle. This will be an all-day meeting with a scramble dinner at noon.

PRACTICAL CLUB

All Practical club members will meet Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the Red Cross rooms at the Nachusa hotel for a dessert luncheon. Following this they will spend the afternoon sewing in the rooms there. Mrs. E. V. Mellott will be hostess for the day.

WINTER IN FLORIDA

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hill have arrived in Lake Worth, Fla., where they expect to spend the winter. They have been residing on Boyd street here, and are now making their residence at 328 South C street in Lake Worth.

FROM STREATOR

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pitcher of Streator are visiting in Dixon and will be until the first part of the week.

NUTRITION CLASS

The Nachusa Red Cross nutrition class will meet Monday night at 7:30 o'clock at the Nachusa school.

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COMPTON

MRS. T. BAUER, Reporter

High School Card Party

The high school will sponsor a card party in the high school gym on Friday evening, Nov. 12, at 8 o'clock. Bunco and 500 will be played. There will be a cake walk and prizes. A lunch will be served. Proceeds to be used in buying band instruments.

Methodist Sunday School

Perfect attendance for the pupils of the Methodist Sunday school for October was as follows: Toby Bingham, Dorothy Donagh, Allen Edgy, Marvin Denham, James Richardson, Ann Archer, Mickey Angell, Marilyn Swope, Elmer Rhoads, Shirley Archer, Lewis Rhoads, Marvin Swope, Cissy Arjes, Bernard Bodmer, Rodney Eden, John Rhoads, Donald Swope, Audrey Thompson, Doris Bradley Edward Gilmore, Ronald Archer, Donald Rosenkrans, Hugh Richardson, Norma Eddy, John Richardson, Eva Argyves, La Dean Bingham, Florence Gilmore, Susie Hills, and Ruth Rhoads. The teachers who were in attendance every Sunday were Alta Cook, Faye Richardson, Nellie Bernard and Elizabeth Richardson.

Circle 1 Meets

Circle 1 of the W. S. C. S. met at the home of Mrs. Laura Beemer Wednesday, Nov. 23, with Mrs. Cora Beemer the assisting hostess. A business meeting was held and a social hour enjoyed. The hostess served a lovely lunch.

Mrs. Rebecca Colwell and daughter Eunice were Thursday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Arnold.

Corporal Guy Mireley of Camp Ispswich, Mass., spent a short furlough with his mother, Mrs. Florence Mireley.

Corporal and Mrs. Orrin Mann of Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, are spending a furlough with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Eggers.

Corporal Arthur Blee of Camp Haan, California, is spending a 14-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blee.

Sgt. Charles Irvin of Camp Stewart, Georgia, spent a short furlough at the Floyd Irwin home.

S./Sgt. Wayne Archer of San Antonio, Texas, came Thursday for a 14-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Archer.

Fred K. Paine of Clearwater, California, arrived in Compton Friday morning to visit his mother, Mrs. John Tribbitt. This is Fred's first visit here in eight years when he left here to make his home in California.

Mrs. Daisy Johnson and Betty July of Rockford spent the week end at the Chris July home.

Miss Lavilla Swope of Normal spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Swope. She was a Sunday dinner guest at the Henry Kehm home.

Mrs. Emma King spent a few

ANNUAL SUPPER SATURDAY, NOV. 20 METHODIST CHURCH

Circle No. 3

days the past week at the Howard Bodmer home.

Mrs. J. W. Fenton and son Jackie of Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chris July.

Pfc. Billy Davis of Delhart, Texas, enjoyed a 5-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Klagg and family of Tonica spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Ogilvie and family.

Miss Lillian Hellar of Amboy visited over the week end at the John Tribbitt home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Law spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Henderson in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Yenrich and family were Sunday dinner guests at the Alvin Beemer home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles July and son of Rockford spent Friday evening with his parents.

Surprise Party

A group of friends and relatives surprised Lavilla Swope at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Swope on Saturday evening with a Halloween party. Bunco and other games were played with prizes going to Betty Chaon, Leland Bodmer high and Marie Bybee and Merl Bodmer low. Refreshments of hot chocolate and doughnuts were served, after which all attended the midnight show in Rochelle.

6:00 A. M. is too Early to Play Ball in Army

Fort Custer, Mich., Nov. 6.—(AP)—First Sergeant Bill Rowe, irked over failure of some of his charges to fall out for pre-breakfast drill, posted this notice:

"A members of this organization will fall out for morning drill at 6 a. m. There will be no exceptions. Cooperation is necessary; if you men will play ball with me, I will play ball with you."

Within an hour appeared this

appendage: "We'd like to cooperate, Sgt. Rowe, but 6 a. m. in the morning is a hell of a time to play ball."

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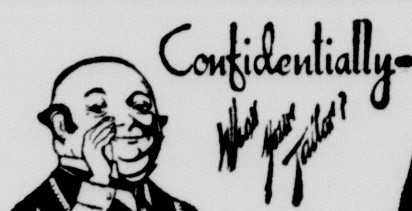
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Dixon Defeated by Geneseo Last Night 18 to 7 in Playoffs

Loss of 3 Duke Regulars Helps Spell Defeat For Purple-White

By BILL EVANS
In the North Central Illinois conference "playoffs" at Geneseo last night, the Geneseo Township eleven reversed last week's game in their favor to beat the Dixon Dukes 18 to 7. On the previous week end Dixon had given Geneseo a sound thrashing to the tune of 20 to nothing but the Lindellmen were not able to keep the good work up last night due to the absence of three regulars that would have probably made up the difference between a victory and a defeat for Dixon.

Due to the loss of End Roger Bivins and Center Glen Godt, the Duke forward wall was thoroughly disorganized even though the line was strengthened by the return of Tackle Dick Stitzel to the squad. There was also a decidedly change in the Duke backfield that was due to the loss of Quarterback Bob Cramer who is still limping around after a bad knee injury that was suffered in the Geneseo game of a week ago.

Dukes Take Lead
In last night's game Dixon went right out in front to lead in the opening minutes of play by a 7 to 0 count. This counter came as a result of a blocked Geneseo punt that was recovered by the Dukes on the Geneseo 31-yard line. From this spot the Dukes immediately shoved the ball over for their only counter in three running plays and here's how it was done: Walters on the first play took the ball and made one yard through the center of the Geneseo forward wall. Meinke then slashed his way down to the 16 yard line. On the third play John Walters took the ball around his own right end and scurried and straight-armed his way through the Geneseo team for a Duke score. Meinke's attempt for the conversion was good and Dixon led 7 to 0.

Dixon again started to roll in the first quarter when a Geneseo fumble was recovered by the Dukes on the Green and White's 41 yard marker. On several running plays the Dukes almost had a first and ten but were penalized twice and were forced to punt as they were leading at this point in the game. The kick by Meinke went out of bounds on the Geneseo 20 yard line and the Dixon hopes for a second score was ended. Later in the second quarter the Dukes drove through the Geneseo team to the 9 yard line only to lose the ball on a fumble. With only minutes remaining in the half, Geneseo took the ball and in several first downs were on the Duke 17 yard line but time fell short and the half ended.

Pass-Lateral Good
At the start of the second half, Dixon kicked to Geneseo who took the ball on their own 5 yard line and returned it to their own 38 yard line. A long pass to Minneart and a lateral to Feldman gave the Geneseo boys their first touchdown against Dixon this year. The attempt for conversion was wide and Dixon still led 7 to 6.
Geneseo's second touchdown came immediately after their first score in the third quarter. Again a Green and White pass was good to Feldman on the Duke 3 yard line after Dixon was forced to kick. On the second down Wachtel plunged the necessary three yards to score. This kick after the score was also wide of its mark.

Duke Fumble Fatal
The final score of the game came in the initial quarter when Walters intercepted a Geneseo pass and was dumped on his own 15 yard marker. Dixon then fumbled and Geneseo took over on a recovery on the Duke 12 yard line. A pass was incomplete but on the next play Bean took the ball and scurried his left end and, with the aid of a beautiful block by Wright, went over to score the final touchdown of the game. The third try for the extra point by placement failed and the game ended with Geneseo the victor by a 18 to 7 count and gave them second place in the conference for the 1943 season.

STARTING LINEUP
Geneseo Pos. Dixon
Fassett lt Stonelicher
Stevenson lt Stitzel
Groy lg Fish
Blossard c Burgess
Andrews rt Burket
Xvakley rt H. Godt
Minneart re Goff
Wright qb Wolbart
A. Kemmis lb Walters
F. VanHoutte, Jr. h Meinke
Feldman fb Cushing
Dixon substitutions: Byers; Wilson; Branigan; Wolaver; Nussbaum; Jenks, McLean; and Rizer.

Touchdowns: Walters (Dixon); Feldman (Geneseo); Wachtel (Geneseo); Bean (Geneseo).
Point after touchdown: Meinke, (Dixon).

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Bowling Bits

By "FRIDAY"

In the Major league at the Recreation last night, Dixon Recreation rolled into a two game lead by taking three from Myers Royal Blue, now having 16 won and eight lost. Cy Winebrenner led the victors with the high series of the evening, 618, and Myers had 555 to head the grocers.

Dulings Tavern also moved one game ahead of Myers R. B. by taking two from Dixon Paint. John Lange had the best series for Dulings with 553 and Van Doren led the Paint boys with 568.

Hub Tavern set back Lepper Motors two to one with Peevee Shertner having 552 for the Hubs and Ed Detweiler turning in 543 for the garage men.

New Bridge Inn was the other two-time winner over Van Dams. Ken Lair had 616 to top the New Bridge along with teammate Carl Becker's 603, and Horace Hartman turned in 575 for the Smokers.

Three bowlers rolled better than 600 last night with Cy Winebrenner having 618; Ken Lair, 616, and Carl Becker 603.

Bowlers who topped 200 were: Lyle Melvin, 203; Jim Biggart, 201-202; John Lange, 212; Van Doren, 211; Ken Lair, 225-204; Andy Tilton, 221; Carl Becker, 243. Horace Hartman, 223; John Smith, 204; Ken Detweiler, 211; Cy Winebrenner, 227; Eldon Myers, 202.

In the mixed doubles following the Major league, Goble Wadsworth and E. Means rolled into first place with 1166. Alice Miller and Al Wolfe took second with 1143; Cecil Worton and Cy Winebrenner, third with 1122, and E. Ventler and W. Weidman, fourth with 1114. Helen Klein rolled the high single game for the women with 189 and also had the high count for actual pins, 512. For the men Goble Wadsworth had the high game and actual pins with 214 and 619. Other two hundred games turned in during the match were Winebrenner, 202; Wadsworth, 201-204-214; W. Weidman, 213; L. Melvin, 205; W. Keenan, 216, and Wolf 202. "Dutch" Diebert and Horace Hartman, fell one pin short with 199 and Lloyd Duffy and Al Wolfe lacked two counters, both having 198. The complete scores are elsewhere on this page.

An example of what makes bowling an interesting game by never knowing who's going to be "hot" or "cold": Last year a Dixon bowler won a trophy in an elimination contest with the best bowlers in the city, and today where do we find him? —

THE DOG HOUSE

City League
Johnson, low game 142
George Bishop, low series 466
GROP Women
Muriel Ventler, low game 108
Muriel Ventler, low series 404
Classic League
Hackett, low game 132
Hackett, low series 455
Commercial League
Scott, low game 125
"Red" Vivian, low series 467
Chas. Davis, low series 467
Major League
Walt Klein, low game 137
Walt Klein, low series 465

We notice in the qualifying rounds in Chicago to pick a bowler to represent the city in the National championship the scores range from 693 down to 597. This is for three games, with any bowler in the city allowed to bowl as many times as he desires. They are being held at five different drives and on Nov. 19 the high men from each establishment will meet with the winner being the Windy City representative.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

New York — Tami Mauriello, 190s, New York, outpointed Lee Savold, 192s, Paterson, N. J. (10).
Washington — Gus Dorazio, 196, Philadelphia, outpointed Al Hart, 228, Washington, (12).
Norwich, Conn. — Al Veaz, 132, New London, Conn., knocked out Jimmy Carlson, 135, Newark, N. J. (2).
Worcester, Mass. — Tommy Bell, 146, Youngstown, knocked out Joe Lemieux, 142, New Bedford, (1).
San Francisco — Kenny Watkins, 159, Los Angeles, outpointed Jackie Burke, 170, Pittsburgh, (10).
San Diego, Calif. — Clarence Brown, 192, Chicago, outpointed Clayton Worlds, 198, Chicago, (10).
Hollywood — Jimmy Doyle, 140, Los Angeles, outpointed Aldo Spaldi, 158, New York, (10).

Forreston Cagers Win Their Opener

Forreston — Forreston opened its 1943-44 basketball season by downing Dakota 17 to 15, in a non-conference tilt here Friday night. Jim Huntley with 10 points led the home team. Forreston opens its route 72 conference season against Leaf River Wednesday night. In the preliminary game, Forreston second team took the invaders, 28 to 14. Score by quarters:
Forreston 0 8 4 5-17
Dakota 4 3 7 1-15

Results of Mixed Doubles Played at Dixon Recreation Friday Night

Player—	1	2	3	Hc.	T.P.	Player—	1	2	3	Hc.	T.P.
E Means ..	130	151	158	39	478	O Hackb'th	162	165	139	39	505
G Wadsworth	201	204	214	69	688	D Adolph ..	150	135	170	87	542
1166						1047					
A Miller ..	118	141	173	84	516	G Handley	143	125	141	96	505
A Wolfe ..	198	188	202	39	627	J Vivian ..	168	136	167	66	537
1143						1042					
C Worton ..	137	185	128	96	556	H Klein ..	150	189	173	30	542
C Winebr'r	194	202	156	24	576	L Miller ..	174	134	92	99	499
1122						1041					
E Ventler ..	135	120	168	90	513	M Wykoff ..	107	141	121	105	474
W Weidm'n	166	180	213	42	601	E Worton ..	163	155	125	120	563
1114						1037					
Schryver ..	121	120	109	114	464	A Daschb'h	136	157	115	66	474
W Keenan ..	216	148	171	96	631	L Duffy ..	143	198	150	72	563
1095						1037					
Terrock ..	161	148	136	51	496	Roof	131	165	117	72	485
H Cham'ess	171	159	180	75	585	L Melvin ..	205	133	158	54	550
1081						1035					
R Barriage	137	146	137	84	504	Meggers ..	130	151	129	75	465
H Thomp'n	157	140	169	111	577	H Deibert ..	199	152	126	84	561
1071						1026					
P Det'eller	167	145	163	48	523	A Myers ..	140	154	173	39	506
H Hartman	199	134	149	69	551	J Lange ..	149	153	171	36	509
1061						1015					
M Woody't	106	118	150	87	461	L Ventler ..	129	142	117	69	457
M Rosebr'k	169	175	151	111	606	D Weidman	179	133	142	90	544
1067						1001					
F Loneran	106	132	124	120	482	S Egan	118	151	140	60	469
C Weidm'n	164	168	164	84	580	W Williams	138	140	163	60	501
1062						970					

Bowling

DIXON RECREATION MAJOR LEAGUE

	W	L
Dixon Recreation	16	8
Duling's Tavern	14	10
Myers Royal Blue	13	11
Hub Tavern	13	11
Van Dams	11	13
Dixon Paint	11	13
New Bridge Inn	11	13
Lepperd Motor Service ..	7	17
Individual Records		

Individual Records
High Ind. game—E. Myers .. 245
High Ind. series—E. Myers .. 644
Team Records
High team game—..... 1016
High team series—..... 2763
Hub Tavern

Dixon Recreation
K. Detweiler .. 211 179 195 585
Weidman .. 189 190 192 571
J. Sweeney .. 159 190 178 507
Giannoni N. .. 159 193 166 490
Winebrenner .. 227 193 198 618
Hub Tavern .. 212 159 182 553
Total .. 805 887 929 2721

Myers Royal Blue
Fallstrom .. 156 176 151 483
J. Sweeney .. 202 159 183 550
Elliott .. 156 127 127 410
Long .. 163 157 163 483
Poole .. 180 142 155 477
Total .. 857 772 779 2498

Dulings Tavern
(ave) .. 182 182 182 546
Wadsworth .. 168 148 156 472
Chamness .. 139 182 165 486
Biggart .. 201 140 202 543
Johnson .. 139 155 170 500
Van Doren .. 167 211 190 568
Total .. 826 876 796 2498

Dixon Paint
Vorhis .. 190 153 168 511
Deibert .. 141 167 140 448
Nelson .. 153 190 128 471
Daschbach .. 175 155 170 500
Van Doren .. 167 211 190 568
Total .. 826 876 796 2498

Hub Tavern
M. Sweeney .. 176 169 194 539
Shertner .. 179 215 158 552
Lepper .. 202 159 182 553
E. Klein .. 189 181 158 525
Johnson .. 167 161 137 465
W. Klein .. 891 870 830 2591

Lepper Motor Service
E. Detweiler .. 153 217 173 543
Melvin .. 159 168 203 569
Elliott .. 155 115 124 394
Sennett .. 151 144 177 472
Wolfe .. 157 192 167 516
Total .. 775 836 844 2455

New Bridge Inn
Lair .. 225 189 204 616
Tilton .. 221 145 171 537
Ooster .. 144 191 147 482
Miller .. 127 137 188 452
Becker .. 243 180 180 603
Total .. 958 842 890 2690

Van Dams
J. Smith .. 204 190 190 616
Austin .. 147 143 145 435
L. Smith .. 116 169 162 447
Hartman .. 223 163 189 575
Lessner .. 147 179 174 501
Total .. 837 844 860 2511

Savold Uses Wrong Gas Against Tami in Fight Friday Night

New York, Nov. 6.—(AP)—It is apparent that Lee Savold ought to change his brand of gas when taking Tami Mauriello, because he's not getting nearly enough mileage out of the brand he uses now.

For the second time in a year the transplanted Iowan who now does his fighting out of Paterson, N. J., floored the Bronx better in Madison Square Garden last night, only to run out of gas down the stretch and lose a decision in ten rounds.

Just as in their first fight, Lee went right out in front with the opening going, this time, but starting with the sixth round he began to falter like a six-furlong horse in a mile-and-a-quarter derby, and Tami, an awkward, but willing workman, waltzed in with the last five rounds in order, for the entertainment of a crowd of 14,987, who welcomed boxing back to the Garden for the first time in a month. The gross gate was \$47,128.

Camp Wallace Makes Big Plans for Team

Camp Wallace, Tex., Nov. 6. (AP)—Camp Wallace is making big plans for its basketball team, composed of former semi-pro and college players.
The man who promises to make the team a threat in any league is Cptn. Jack Smiley, former member of the University of Illinois "Whiz Kids."

Rep. Lyle Prescott Joins Telegraph in Campaign for Fish

Representative Lyle H. Prescott of this city has taken the initiative in the interest of sportsmen in this vicinity, to obtain wall-eye pike and other game fish for the restocking of Rock river. Superintendent Hunt of the fish division of the state conservation department at Springfield plans to come to Dixon soon to conduct a survey of the river in this locality with a view of inaugurating the restocking program early next spring. For the past several years the re-stocking program has been carried on by the Dixon Evening Telegraph and has proved quite successful with the co-operation of the state department of conservation.

Superintendent Hunt has assured Representative Prescott of the support of the conservation department in realizing the program and any adult wall-eye pike available from rescue operations this fall or next spring on the Mississippi or Rock rivers will be placed in the latter stream at Dixon, which has been declared to be one of the largest streams in Illinois to which pike are adapted. Superintendent Hunt in commenting on the proposed re-stocking program in a letter to the Telegraph states:

Bringing Results
"From reports above and below Rockford on Rock river the catching of a great many wall-eye pike underize in the past two seasons, indicates without a doubt that our restocking program carried on for the past few years is now bringing some results. Contrary to the belief of a great many people, the rearing of wall-eye pike from the fry stage to the adult stage has never been very successfully carried on by the federal government or any state. However, when more knowledge is available on this matter, Illinois shall attempt to set up the proper culture ponds for this purpose. Due to the lack of material and labor at this time I doubt if anything can be done for the duration of the emergency."

"This department deeply appreciates Representative Prescott's co-operation and interest in conservation, and on my next trip to Dixon, we will go over the conservation and recreational matters and other subjects of interest to our great outdoors."

H. S. Football

SPRING VALLEY WINS
Rock Falls—Winner in Friday night's play-off game of the North Central conference was Spring Valley with a score of 14 to Rock Falls 0.

Rock Falls managed a drive to Spring Valley's 22-yard line in the middle of the second quarter, but fumbled their chance to score.
Panizzi of Spring Valley made two successive plunges for touchdowns and extra points.

MORRISON, 14; AMBOY 13
Morrison — Morrison tumbled Amboy to its second Rock River conference defeat here Friday night 14-13.

In the opening canto, Green dashed 49 yards for the first touchdown and scored again in the second quarter. Deter-booted both extra points.

Amboy's scoring was done by Kebo in the first quarter and Gorton in the third. Nice converted after the second touchdown.

—Farmers will find Lee county plat books—priced at 50 cents—at the B F Shaw Printing Company

her of the University of Illinois "Whiz Kids."

Irish-Army, Navy-Penn Games Center of Interest Today

Two Contests Overshadow Other Gridiron Engagements

New York, Nov. 6.—(AP)—The football scales are tipped heavily toward the east today with Notre Dame's struggle with Army and Navy's struggle with Pennsylvania virtually obliterating the remainder of the eastern program and overshadowing the entire national card.

Some spectators have purchased tickets for the Irish-Cadet affair in New York City's Yankee Stadium with the hopes of finding out for themselves just how good Notre Dame is minus the transferred Angelo Bertelli.

Only because Franklin Field can accommodate only 71,615 will the crowd be smaller at Philadelphia where a Penn. team that tied Army a week ago takes on the Middies.

The two games "hide" such eastern tilts as Brown-Yale, Columbia-Dartmouth, Penn State-Cornell and Holy Cross-Temple. In addition, they shade games involving Louisiana State-Georgia Tech. Northwestern-Wisconsin, Purdue-Minnesota, Colorado-Utah, Texas A. & M.-Southern Methodist and Southern California-San Diego naval training station.

Midwestern Games
The midwest also has earmarked a part of its interest for the outcomes of the Ohio State-Pittsburgh and Illinois-Iowa struggles. All four teams are made up entirely of civilians, as is the Indiana outfit which plays Michigan.

Some southwest attention will be diverted to the Texas Tech-Texas Christian meeting and also to the Oklahoma A. & M.-Tulsa affair.

Down south the North Carolina-South Carolina feud is next behind the Louisiana State-Georgia Tech battle but shares billing with Duke-North Carolina State, Wake Forest-North Carolina Pre-flight and the Memphis contest between the Memphis and the Arkansas A. & M.—a pair of small colleges with unbeatable flight football teams.

Missouri and Oklahoma, the two contenders for the Big Six conference title, both are busy, the Tigers invading Iowa State and the Sooners entertaining Kansas.

The efforts of the Southern California Trojans to remain unbeaten, untied and unscored upon against San Diego naval training station fight for coast attention against onslaughts of the California-San Francisco and UCLA-Del Monte Pre-flight struggles.

MAKESHIFT BACKFIELD

New York, Nov. 6.—(AP)—A makeshift backfield made up of two regulars, one substitute, and an 18-year-old freshman who has played only five minutes of college football will operate behind the Notre Dame line today in the annual clash with Army's Cadets.

Even before the unbeaten Notre Dame forces arrived today after an all-night ride from South Bend it was announced that Bob Kelly, 18-year-old product of Chicago, would replace the ailing Lujack Rykovich at right halfback.

Rykovich, probably the most versatile of Notre Dame's backfield operatives, missed all the Irish practices this week because of a stomach ailment. He rejoined his mates yesterday morning for the trip here but will not start.

Kelly's debut as a starter comes at the same time that Johnny Lujack takes over the quarterback duties surrendered by Angelo Bertelli when the latter was transferred to the Parris Island Marine camp.

Kelly and Lujack will team with fullback James Mello and left halfback Creighton Miller, only civilian on the team, in the first team backfield.

While Notre Dame spent the night traveling to its thirty-first meeting with Army, the Cadets slept at the Knollwood Country club near New York City after romping through a light workout on the Yankee Stadium sod late yesterday.

Glenn Davis, sensational plebe back for the tied but unbeaten Cadets held down the first team fullback slot while Doug Kenna, injured ball carrier whom Coach Earl Blaik rates as the best back he ever coached, was on the second team. Kenna has been idle most of the year because of an injured knee.

NAVY TAKES TO AIR

Philadelphia, Nov. 6.—(AP)—The U. S. Naval Academy took to the water to get to Philadelphia today, but it's almost a sure bet that a sellout crowd of 73,000 will see Navy depend greatly on its air arm, Hal Hamburg, in an attempt to scuttle Pennsylvania's unconquered grid machine.

Penn's coach, George Munger, continued to give the impression that he would find it difficult to field 11 gridders who would not smell of ether from having spent a week in the university infirmary.

Captain John E. (Billie) Wheelchel, Navy's coach has re-

ported the Middle squad in the best shape in recent weeks.

MICHIGAN-INDIANA

Ann Arbor, Mich., Nov. 6.—(AP)—The best offensive team in the Western Conference, this time operating without bustin's Bill Daley, runs into the best defensive team today as once-beaten Michigan and Indiana renew an old football series before an estimated 20,000 spectators.

IOWA-ILLINOIS

Iowa City, Ia., Nov. 6.—(AP)—Iowa aimed for its

MARKETS

Chicago Grain Table

(By The Associated Press)			
	Open	Close	Close
	Today	Yesterday	Year Ago
WHEAT—			
May	1.56 1/2	1.56 1/2	1.28 1/2
Dec	1.57	1.57 1/2	1.26 1/2
July	1.54 1/2	1.54 1/2	1.29
OATS—			
Dec	.76 1/2	.76 1/2	.50 1/2
May	.73 1/2	.73 1/2	.53 1/2
July	.71 1/2	.71 1/2	.53
RYE—			
Dec	1.13	1.13 1/2	.82 1/2
May	1.13 1/2	1.13 1/2	.88
July	1.12 1/2	1.12 1/2	.70 1/2
BARLEY—			
Dec	1.15 1/2	1.16 1/2	
May	1.14 1/2	1.15	

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, Nov. 6.—(AP)—(WPA)—Salable hogs 700, total 10,200; all weights and grades nominally steady; practically no good hogs here; supplies largely sows and underweights below top grades; shippers took none; compared week ago weights over 190 lbs 25¢ lower; lighter kinds 35¢ off; sows 35¢-40¢ lower.

Salable cattle 800, calves 100; following last week's sharp break, receipts declined approximately 12,000 head locally and general market worked sharply higher, eastern order buyers bought very freely; cowboys, cow belt fishers took stock cattle and calves rather actively; strictly choice fed steers and yearlings 25¢-50¢ higher, all others 75¢ to 1.00 up; common, medium, and low-grade steers closed weak at advance; good and choice yearlings and light steers very popular; heifers 50¢ higher; after losing part of early advance, cows 25¢ up; bulls fully 50¢ higher, and vealers strong at 14.50 down; selected offerings 14.75 and 15.00; bulk fed steers 14.00-16.50; top reached 16.75 on 1415 and 1315 lb averages, 1060 lb yearlings 16.60; 998 lb heifers 16.25; liberal supply of strictly good and choice steers and yearlings went east at 15.75-16.50; 1416 lb choice fed steers making 16.60 and 1523 lbs 16.40 weight Montana steers to killers up to 14.25; common and medium grade steers 13.75; bulk fed heifers 13.75-15.75; cutter cows closed at 8.00 down, canners 6.75-7.25; heavy sausage bulls reached 12.50.

Salable sheep 500, total 5,500; price changes favored the seller; strong market, ending in a general 25¢ advance on all killing classes; week's top western lambs 14.50; natives 14.35; yearlings 12.60; ewes 6.50, with practical top at 6.25; bulk good and choice native and western lambs 13.50-14.25; yearlings generally 10.50-12.50; feeding lambs 9.50-12.00; bulk slaughter ewes 4.50-6.00.

Unofficial estimated receipts for Monday: hogs 28,000; cattle 18,000; sheep 17,000.

Wall Street Close

Al Ch & Dye 150; Al Ch Mfg 35; Am Can 82 1/2; Am Loco 11 1/2; Am Sm 39; A T & T 155; Am T 58 1/2; Anac 25 1/2; Arch 5 1/2; Avia 30; Bendix 45; Beth St 57; Borden 28 1/2; Borg 34 1/2; Cater Tract 45; C & O 45 1/2; Chrysler 77 1/2; Cont 20 1/2; Corn Prod 58; Curt Wr 7; Douglas 53; Du Pont 142 1/2; Eastman Kod 185; E I 36 1/2; Gen Foods 41 1/2; G M 51 1/2; Goodrich 39 1/2; Goodyear 36; Int Harv 66 1/2; Johns Manv 86 1/2; Kenn C 30 1/2; Kroger 32 1/2; Lib Gl 38 1/2; Liggett 66 1/2; Marshall Field 14 1/2; Mont Ward 43; Nat Bisc 21; Nat Pac 19; N O Am Avia 9 1/2; Nor Pac 13 1/2; Pan Am Airw 31 1/2; Pennay 93; Penn R R 26 1/2; Phillips Pet 44 1/2; Repub St 16 1/2; Sears 86 1/2; Shell 23 1/2; Sinclair 10 1/2; St Oil 37 1/2; St Oil Ind 53; St Oil N J 58 1/2; Texaco 47 1/2; Un Carb 80; Un Air Lines 24 1/2; Un Aircr 28 1/2; US RR 39 1/2; US St 52 1/2.

Chicago Produce

Chicago, Nov. 6.—(AP)—Potatoes: arrivals 80; on track 196; total US shipments 367; supplies moderate; for good stock demand moderate; market steady; for fair quality stock demand very slow, market dull; Idaho russet burbanks US No. 1, 3.25-3.35; Colorado red McClure US No. 1, 3.35; North Dakota bliss triumphs commercials 2.45.

Butter receipts 210,443.

Eggs 4.822.

30 Pct. Decrease in Fur Production Seen

Chicago, Nov. 6.—(AP)—The fox, bunny, racoon and other wild life who usually give their lives to become fur coats have a 30 per cent better chance to stay alive this year than last.

Dr. Ira N. Gabrielson, director of the fish and wild life service department of the interior, yesterday predicted to the national federation of the fur industry a decrease of 30 per cent in the wild fur catch and fur farm production in 1943 from 1942.

Gabrielson laid the decrease to manpower problems and shortages of food supplies, steel traps and ammunition. Damage to food crops by these small animals is increasing, he said.

The federation's tax form condemned a proposed increase in the fur tax, recently approved by the house ways and means committee claiming it would raise the fur tariff 150 per cent. They proposed a graduated tax from the present 10 per cent to 25 per cent for "luxury furs".

YUGOSLAVS LAUNCH DRIVE

London, Nov. 6.—(AP)—Yugoslav guerrillas have launched an offensive to drive the Germans from the long Peljesac peninsula off the Dalmatian coast, a communique of the Yugoslav Liberation army announced today.

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Leaves from an AP War Correspondent's Notebook

BY HAL BOYLE

Allied Headquarters, Algiers, Nov. 1.—(Delayed)—(AP)—The days of the phony war are long past but not the days of the phony. You find phonyies at the front as well as heroes. Let me tell you about a few.

An encouraging thing about our Army is that when battle closes an officer is phony he is very quickly removed. I have two cases in mind—a brigadier general and a colonel.

It may be a bit harsh to call the general a phony. He was a fumbling, uncertain commander—while he lasted—and he didn't last long. It was in North Africa. The general commanded an American outfit sent to stop German forces that had made a break-through.

It was decided to launch an infantry attack to drive the nazis off a small hill. The tank column and the infantry colonel wanted to begin the drive in the late afternoon.

"It will succeed and will give us all night to dig in in our new positions", they explained, "and if the attack fails we will be able to retreat under cover of darkness and keep down our losses".

But the general vetoed the suggestion.

"The higher headquarters will start sending messages in the morning asking how we are doing", he said. "These messages are irritating and embarrassing. I want to be able to tell them we have the attack going well by then, so we will have to jump off before noon".

They jumped off, but they didn't jump far. The doughboys hit the hill hard, but they didn't quite make it, and then they had to back down again by daylight. It wasn't a very cheerful message the general sent to his higher headquarters that night on the outcome of the attack. That general doesn't make any front line decisions now. In fact, he isn't at the front any more, and the chances are he won't be back. The war department does its best work in silence.

As I said, it might be unfair

Terse News

Licensed Here to Marry

A marriage license has been issued by County Clerk Sterling Schrock to George E. Sarver and Mrs. Helen L. Volk both of Dixon.

Short Council Session—

The regular weekly meeting of the city council was held last evening at the city hall with only routine business being transacted.

To Address Iowa Elks—

Attorney H. C. Warner left at noon today for Waterloo, Iowa where this evening he will address the annual convention of the Iowa Elks Association.

Hollyhock in Bloom—

A hollyhock with four full blossoms and several buds was observed in the yard of Miss Mary Goodyear, 816 Brinton avenue Friday.

Barber Shops to Close—

Dixon barbers will join merchants, bankers and professional men in observing next Thursday—Armistice Day—as a full holiday and will not be open for business. They will keep open Wednesday evening, as is usual before a holiday.

Seek Hit-Run Driver—

Police early this morning were called to investigate an automobile crash in front of 526 East Fellows street. A parked car was sideswiped by a passing machine and the driver of the latter failed to stop or report the accident. A pedestrian who witnessed the crash secured the license number of the offending driver car which he turned over to the police.

Pig Gets New Home—

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 6.—(AP)—That 300-pound hog Governor Green won from governor Dwight Griswold of Nebraska on a wager that Illinois war bond purchasers would beat the Cornhusker state has a new home today—although probably not for long. Mr. Green donated the porker to the St. Joseph's Home for Aged Persons in Springfield.

Free Lecture Tuesday—

The First Church of Christ, Scientist, Dixon, announces a free lecture on Christian Science by Richard J. Davis, C. S. B. of San Jose, Calif., at the Loveland Community House next Tuesday evening at 8:00 o'clock. Mr. Davis is a member of the Board of Lectureship of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

Shortage of Pennies—

A new shortage, that of pennies, is making itself felt in Dixon. It was reported today. There were some reports that individuals are hoarding pennies which have become an important medium of exchange in the payment of sales taxes. The banking institutions both in Dixon and Chicago are feeling the shortage and the National Automatic Merchant

to call the general a phony. He just didn't have good military sense. But the colonel I have in mind was undoubtedly a 22 carat phony. When I saw him he was sitting in a ravine in Sicily well protected from enemy artillery fire.

The troops at the head were catching hell. They were on a low hill and the Germans were on a high hill dropping the stuff down on them. Some mortar shells ripped out communication lines. The colonel was out of touch with his forward battalion.

A messenger raced back to report that an American battalion artillery observation post had just been blown up by a direct hit. The report was sent back by a young captain who had been in the post only a few moments before. The colonel then decided he wanted the captain to rejoin his battalion, which was under heavy fire, rather than to try at the moment to find another observation post.

Any other colonel merely would have said to the messenger "Go back and tell the captain to rejoin his battalion". But not this colonel. He had an audience and this was his chance to grandstand.

"Tell the captain his men need him", he said dramatically. "Tell him I know I am probably sending him to his death, but that he must go back at once to his men. It is a hard decision to make, but this is war. He must go back to his men".

The speech grated on the men and officers nearby, setting their teeth on edge. You don't make pretty speeches when the shells are falling near. You just do what has to be done and that's all there is to it. It was a small thing, perhaps, but the small things are the best tipoff on a man's character.

I next ran into this outfit in Italy. I asked one of the majors what had happened to the captain. I was glad to learn he was alive and well.

"And the colonel?" I asked.

"He isn't with us any more", said the major blandly. It doesn't take the Army long to weed the bad ones out.

dising Association through Walter C. Knack, who is a member of the group, today issued an appeal to all citizens not to hoard pennies and to release them into circulation at once.

First Anniversary of Landing in No. Africa Marked by Eisenhower

Allied Headquarters, Algiers, Nov. 6.—(AP)—Declaring that Germany's "utter defeat—even if not yet definitely in sight—is certain", Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower called for redoubled efforts and intensification of "the fury of our blows".

The allied commander-in-chief in the Mediterranean, in a message marking the anniversary of the North African landings on Nov. 8, 1942, asserted that the battle was being carried "daily closer to the vitals of the enemy" in Europe and forecast that "victory will likewise be ours in the far-off Pacific".

The message, addressed to American military and civil forces in this theater, praised the "gallant and powerful Russian army pounding the European enemy on the east" and similarly lauded "unconquerable China" defying "one of the most powerful and vicious of our enemies".

Sinatra Thinks None Will Miss Him Much

New York, Nov. 6.—(AP)—Frank Sinatra, the man with the voice, says he doesn't think America's womenfolk will miss him much if he goes off to war.

"I don't think anyone will miss me much except my family," the swoon-crooner said in an interview.

The crooner's draft board in Jersey City, N. J., said he might be called in mid-December.

Sinatra, who is 26 and lives with his wife and three-year-old daughter, Nancy, in Hasbrouck Heights, N. J., said another baby was expected about Christmas-time and "I hope it is a boy."

Springfield Union Man is Alleged Embezzler

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 6.—(AP)—Hearing on charges of embezzlement of union funds by Fred Gorsek, former financial secretary of local 477, International Hod Carriers, Building & Common Laborers union, will be held on 18.

Gorsek was arrested yesterday on a warrant obtained by George Coleman, a union member. Thomas H. Humphris, international representative who was sent here to take charge of the local's books, said the alleged shortage would top \$10,000.

1,200 SEEK STATE JOBS

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 6.—(AP)—Twelve hundred persons have applied for jobs as state hospital attendants, the Civil Service Commission reported yesterday.

In wooded land, rainfall is often 25 per cent greater than in open spaces.

Allies Smash

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Germany last night, the air ministry announced today.

The objectives attacked in the night assault were not immediately named, nor was there any hint of the size of the raiding force.

Yesterday, a huge fleet of American heavy bombers estimated at 700, losing one of the heaviest air blows ever dealt to western Germany, blasted industrial and rail targets at Gelsenkirchen and Muenster in the wake of a similar staggering assault on Wilhelmshaven.

The sky armada, totaling upwards of 1,000 planes including fighter escort, bored through a wall of anti-aircraft fire which one pilot said was "as intense as hell and as thick as raindrops" to reach its objectives. In the day's operations, which included attacks on northern France and Belgium, losses were 10 heavy bombers, two medium ones and five fighters as against 38 enemy fighters. Five heavy bombers were lost in the Wilhelmshaven raid.

The assault on Gelsenkirchen, where great synthetic oil works make that city a target almost as important as the Ploesti oil fields in Rumania, evidently was aimed at wiping out the nazis' fuel sources, lack of which already has forced them to abandon aircraft on the ground in the Italian theater.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Robert Warner and daughter, Susan, went to Chicago this morning.

One of the sons born to Mr. and Mrs. William Ervin in Chicago recently, passed away on Monday of this week. The other child is doing nicely.

Kent Stuart will go to Chicago Monday.

T. G. Austin has returned to his home in Milwaukee after spending several days visiting his mother and sister, Mrs. Rosella Austin, and Lanora.

Capt. John Crabtree of Dixon, now based at Bradley Field, Conn., made a brief stop in Dixon overnight. Capt. Crabtree is on his way to Denver and the west coast on an inspection trip and stopped off to see his father, Charles Crabtree, and sister, Miss Anna Jean. He hopes to be able to make another visit here on his return trip.

Deaths

Suburban—

JOHN PEMBROKE
 Amboy, 61, life-long resident of Amboy, where he was born July 3, 1882, died at his home at 8:30 o'clock this morning. Funeral services will be held at the Mihm funeral home at 8:30 o'clock Monday morning and at St. Patrick's Catholic church at 9:00, with burial in St. Patrick's cemetery.

He is survived by two sisters, Mayme, with whom he made his home, and Mrs. Anna Herzog of Amboy.

Nazi High Command Says Allied Planes Attack Vatican City

London, Nov. 6.—(AP)—The German high command, repeating earlier broadcasts of the Berlin and Rome radios, asserted today that "enemy aircraft last night attacked Vatican City in Rome" but the Associated Press had no confirmation that any such attack had occurred.

"Bomb hits caused destruction in the world-famous mosaic factory, as well as damage to the governor's palace", said the German communique as broadcast from Berlin.

It was recalled here the allies in leaflets dropped on Rome had warned the world last July of the possibility of bombs being dropped on Vatican City intentionally by the axis powers who, it was said, were likely then to go to the radio and declare allied aircraft had made the attack.

The German report of the bombing drew a "no comment" from official quarters in London.

Japanese Poem Hails Day When White Race Has Been Exterminated

Melbourne, Nov. 6.—(AP)—While he was minister to Tokyo before the outbreak of war, Sir John Latham exchanged gifts with Yosuke Matsuoka, then Japanese foreign minister.

Sir John's gift was a book of reproductions of Australian paintings. Matsuoka responded with a book of Japanese poems.

Sir John, in making the disclosure in a speech yesterday, had no comment to make on one of the poems which read:

"What a glorious day it will be when the foot of the white man no longer presses the soil of Asia."

"How much more wonderful will be the day when the divine mission of Japan is accomplished and the white race shall have been exterminated from the whole world."

CONVICTION UPHELD

Chicago, Nov. 6.—(AP)—The conviction of William Bernard Wernecke, 36, who was sentenced to five years in prison and fined \$10,000 on draft evasion charges, was upheld yesterday by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals.

Jap Warships

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Larson, 25, head operations officer, said the droppers are successful on 95 per cent of their missions and that 95 to 100 per cent of the supplies dropped are recovered by the Chinese.

Our plane, containing food, ammunition, medicines and other supplies was directed straight to a previously unvisited dropping ground near the bend of a Chindwin river tributary by 2nd Lt. William Hall, 23 of Pittsburgh, the plane's navigator.

Capt. Ivan Hirshburg, 26, of Ogdenhorpe, Ga., the pilot, aided by Lt. Otis Knudsen, 25, of Joliet, Ill., the co-pilot, dropped the plane until it seemed that its belly was scraping the tree tops.

At a signal from Hirshburg the supplies were pushed overboard.

New Coal Contract

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it helped establish.

While delegates to the CIO national convention scattered to their homes, President Philip Murray, who also heads the steelworkers union, remained behind to take part in a meeting of the steelworkers' executive committee Monday.

On record as denouncing administration of the wage stabilization program as "a national hedge podge", Murray said he wouldn't care to comment "before Monday" on reports that new wage demands would be presented.

Other knudsen sources, however, went so far as to predict that the steelworkers, whose wage increase in July, 1942, established a national standard, would seek a flat increase of 15 cents an hour, with loving costs and the coal mine wage raise as main arguments.

The steelworkers sought a \$1 a day raise in 1942 for 180,000 employees of Bethlehem, Youngstown Sheet & Tube, Inland and Republic Steel companies.

I was in deciding that case that the War Labor Board evolved what became known as the "Little Steel" formula—a ceiling 15 per cent above levels of January 1, 1941, to provide "an end to the tragic race between wages and prices".

And that formula—which gave the steel workers an additional 44 cents a day—has been used by WLB as a yardstick for wage increase applications since then.

Capture of Bastion

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the town of Kiev, vital industrial center and most important strategic center of German resistance on the right flank of the Dnieper."

It also termed the capture of the "greatest importance in driving the Germans from the western Ukraine".

Kiev has the vital strategic importance of standing astride the Dnieper river at the entrance of the corridor into central Europe between the Carpathian mountains on the south and the Pripiet marshes on the north.

It is the gate to a natural invasion route to the nazi inner stronghold.

German withdrawal from the great cathedral city came barely 48 hours after the Russians launched a surprise attack against the northern and western suburbs from their bridgehead base on the west bank of the Dnieper river, 16 miles to the north.

Single Escape Route

Breaching two German defense lines guarding the city, the Russians outflanked the enemy's positions on the west and north, leaving only a single escape route to the southwest open.

It was this route which the Germans evidently used to complete the evacuation.

Announcement of the abandonment of this third largest city of the soviet union and capital of the Ukraine, which was captured by the Germans exactly three months after the nazi armies crossed the Russian borders, came on the eve of the 26th anniversary of the soviet revolution and climaxed the victorious Red army's gigantic autumn campaign.

Moscow dispatches said it was believed there were 14 German divisions in and around the city when the final assault was launched Thursday.

The Germans now have no important natural defense line between Kiev and the former Polish frontier, just 120 miles to the west.

The fall of Kiev, a city of about 846,000, vastly enhances the possibility that the Red army will be able to cut in two the remnants of the German armies still in southern Russia.

Kiev, with four main railway lines converging on it, was the transportation center for the entire Crimea. It was the early capital of Russia and as such had age-old sentimental links for all Russians.

PAPER SAVER

Mexico City—Oral instead of written examinations will be given in the future at Mexico City public schools, says Roberto T. Bonilla, assistant education minister. It is the paper shortage.

OHIO

MRS. ESTHER JACKSON

Reporter

The Good Housekeepers club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Marie Johnson with Mrs. Anna Sisler, assistant hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Ahrens and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Saltzman will entertain the Friendship Sunday school class of the Methodist church at the Ahrens home on Thursday evening, Nov. 11th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Saltzman spent the week end in Chicago. Mrs. M. A. Foley is spending a few days with her son, Pfc. Mickey Foley who is stationed in Springfield, Mo.

Irene and Laura Helen Leisure of LaMoille spent the week end with her aunt, Mrs. Edna Jackson.

Mrs. Maria Smith and Mrs. Marie Shifflett were hostesses Monday afternoon to the Loyal Women's class of the Methodist church at Mrs. Smith's home. Mrs. Irma Phillips presided at the business meeting and Mrs. Maude Blanchard presented the lesson. Games were played during the social hour and the hostesses served a nice lunch.

Felix Johnson is a patient in the Perry Memorial hospital in Princeton, where he submitted to an appendectomy Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Foley entertained their bridge club Saturday evening.

Mrs. Virgil Bacorn and Mrs. Wm. Denbo and daughter Mrs. George Anderson and Mrs. Donald Payne spent Saturday in Peoria.

Seaman Ronald Etheridge, his wife and baby daughter spent the week end in Joliet and Seaman Etheridge left from Chicago Sunday evening for Farragut, Idaho, here he is stationed.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Brown of Batavia were guests Saturday at the Raymond Gorman home.

Seaman Paul Coffey of the Great Lakes Naval Training Station spent a few days here last week with his father, Edward Coffey.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Schultz attended a football game in Sterling last Friday evening.

Several ladies from Ohio attended the Farmers' Institute and Domestic Science meeting which was held Thursday and Friday in Walnut.

Seaman Elwood Sharp of the Great Lakes Naval Training Station is spending a few days leave with friends here.

Mrs. Cora Barkman is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Manning Barkman in Freeport.

The War Today

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ism. In order to get peace this cancer must be destroyed.

With that unsavory job out of the way, the allies will have to embark on the task of educating the Japanese people into friendly relations with the west. That won't be easy.

Meantime the western powers have to remove the causes of distrust and misgivings which exist even among our allies in the orient.

My personal observations in the orient leave me in no doubt that the eastern countries fear, and in some cases believe, that America and Britain are bent on exploiting them. As I've reported to you before, even China and India fear that the Atlantic Charter is meant for the west and not for the east—that the western allies are planning separate sets of rules for the two parts of the globe. These suspicions must be removed by deeds, not words, if the Jap idea of an anti-western bloc is to be killed.

By The Associated Press

The Japanese radio said today that a Tokyo conference attended by the leaders of five puppet states had adopted a program for world peace "through mutual aid and assistance" after accusing the United States and Great Britain of "insatiable aggression and exploitation" in East Asia.

The countries represented at the conference, the broadcast said, included the new Philippine "republic" at Nanking, Thailand, Burma and Manchukuo.

Segregation Center

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in desperation had asked military aid.

Army troops in battle dress moved en masse into the camp with fixed bayonets and rounded up 500 Japanese, who were questioned while holding their hands clasped over their heads.

No Arguments

The Japanese, who on Monday held an impromptu three-hour mass meeting at the administration building while keeping 75 government employees virtual prisoners inside, showed no inclination to argue as soldiers patrolled the camp and light tanks took up positions with guns pointing toward the living area.

Witnesses said that late yesterday when a group of Japanese

estimated variously at 250 to 1,000 formed apparently for a conference, soldiers effectively used tear gas to disperse them.

Troubles had come to a head with the arrival of thousands of Japanese transferred here from Hawaii a few weeks ago.

One impelling reason given for the disturbances was the desire for some of the Japanese to create an incident which would bring their quick deportation to their homeland.

Senate Votes Post-

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lution," the Illinois senator said, "I do so in the hope that it may help in the disintegration of our enemies, in the consolidation of our allies and that it may contribute to an early victory, at the same time protecting the future rights and future commitments of the American people."

Senator Lucas (D-Ill.) also voted for the resolution.

Writer Relates

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during the Venafr attack said he had heard over the radio that the tri-power conference at Moscow had refused to recognize Germany's annexation of Austria, and that his country's independence would be restored. He said that under those circumstances he and many

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Navy Announces 5-Fold Increase in Quotas for Cadets

Great Lakes, Ill.—The Navy Department has just announced a five-fold increase in the quotas for Naval Aviation Pilot cadets, according to Captain E. S. Root, USN, director of the Office of Naval Officer Procurement in the Ninth Naval District.

A revised procurement program in the middlewest is now in full operation with the establishment of new offices in key cities to make the program more accessible for prospective cadets.

Naval Aviation Cadet Selection Boards, which formerly were in sole charge of the processing of applicants for flight training, will continue to function as a part of Naval Officer Procurement in Chicago, Detroit, Minneapolis, St. Louis and Kansas City. However, these boards have now been supplemented by Offices of Naval Officer Procurement in Milwaukee, Cleveland, Cincinnati and Des Moines. These offices will handle preliminary processing of applicants for the V-5 program.

High school principals are requested to send all qualified youths and the necessary documents to the nearest of the above named offices. Young men to be eligible for V-5, which leads to an officer's commission and the Navy Wings of Gold, are now required to be 17 years old, a high school graduate or a high school senior graduating by March 1. Youths 18 through 26 years who are high school graduates also are eligible for this training.

Edward T. Fane, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Fane, 922 Woodlawn avenue, Dixon, Ill., was graduated recently from the Hospital Corps School at the U. S. Naval Hospital at Great Lakes and advanced to the rate of hospital apprentice second class.

Graduation terminates a six-week course of preliminary training at the Hospital Corps School. Included in the course is the study of anatomy and physiology, hygiene and sanitation, materia-medica and weights and measures, first aid and bandaging, nursing, transportation of casualties, and dietetics.

The newly graduated man will continue training at another Naval hospital before being sent to duty at sea or at other shore stations.

Pvt. James L. Bruce, son of Mrs. Hattie Bruce, 524 Dixon avenue, Dixon, Ill., has completed training and has been graduated from this school of the Army Air Forces Training Command. While attending this Army Air Forces Training Command school he received instruction in the Special Purpose Motor Vehicle Course, and in various technical operations vital to the maintenance of the country's fighting planes.

—Chanute Field Public Relations Office.

Pvt. Richard Miller is now receiving mail as follows: Platoon 862 RDMCB, San Diego, 41, Cal.

Rub-a-Dub-Dub



With about as much privacy as a goldfish, RAF flyer ignores the prying camera and cleans up in wooden tub on Italian farm.

"THE INTELLIGENCE BOYS"

Two Sergeants from the same home town
Both of these boys have been around;
One's a staff and the other's a buck,
Each seemed to bring the other luck.

The Staff was Joe Springfield by name
Who led the platoon to its fame;
Sergeant Stockwell was great to borrow
He'd always say, "You get it tomorrow."

A little sergeant called Vernier
Who rushes here and rushes there;
But one and all in the outfit knows
His heart belongs to his Rose.

Have you heard of the bazooka gun?
It takes a gunner for each one;
Corporal Phillips is our best man
And he always has his gun in hand.

There's a fellow called Corporal Brown
Who hails from good old Morristown;
He keeps his ordnance crew on the ball
Caring for the machine guns, belts and all.

Doskicz comes from Thold and Reed;
A steady guy, in time of need;
In all our patrols he knew his stuff
And with the Jerries, he didn't bluff.

And there's the guy who makes a hit
With each new man in this outfit;
He's one guy that's always straight
Good old Layton from the Hoosier state.

For the radio chief we've got
A little fellow called Mylott;
To some of the guys he seems a crank
Because he's always pulling his rank.

A steady fellow in our crew
Is none other than good old Lew;
On inspection days he can't be beat
Because all he has is clean and neat.

Our first scout—you all know his name
He has brought to us lots of fame;
Capturing Jerries was his great joy
We think a lot of our Wheeler boy.

Rowley hailed from dear old Brooklyn
But we don't think that's such a sin;
A better driver we never knew
We think he is darn good, don't you?

A guy from the wide open spaces
Who really drives in all the places;
Cares for his jeep like Mother's table
Shemek's his name—our outfit's Clark Gable.

The last one of that famous three
Is Griffith—that's enough for me;
He is a driver of darn high class
One few drivers ever care to pass.

We have always called him plain Joe
A better fellow one can't know;
He is assistant ordnance man
You can bet he will do all he can.

Resetic, the boy from Cleve-land
Had one good time in old Iran;
Has fired machine guns, driven jeeps.
A quiet lad whenever he sleeps.

Rine's another driver and how,
He's always first in line for chow;
What would he do if he lost his uppers?
No breakfast—no dinners—no suppers.

Remember the guy the Jerries shot
We all liked him an awful lot;
He would help us all at any time
To us, Bill Taylor was mighty fine.

There was a lad from Alabama
Who came to serve his Uncle Sam;
With the pastboards we called him "Lucky"
And he sounds like Donald Ducky.

From Milwaukee came good old Jim
We could always depend on him;
In a softball game or as our scout
We always knew that Jim out about.

There's big Ed—a guy we all knew
Who came from the state of O-h-i-o;
Does he like K. P.—and how
Because there he gets plenty of chow.

'Nother member is our Kezar
Who we think will go very far;
In working and learning the radio.
At least, all the platoon's hoping so.

He acts as though he didn't care.
That's our pal by the name of Hair;
This lad comes from the great middle west
But we always know he does his level best.

Pennsylvania boasts another lad.
That we think hasn't done so bad.
Wagner, no doubt, has got many scenes
To take back to the Curtis magazines.

We call him the boy without a nerve,
From his duty he'll never swerve;
He calls himself a small town hick
But we know better—good friend Mezyk.

Then there's the lad from the big time
Who in city life had quite a line
Selling ladies' coats in New York land;
Yes, you guessed it, pal, it's Wejherman.

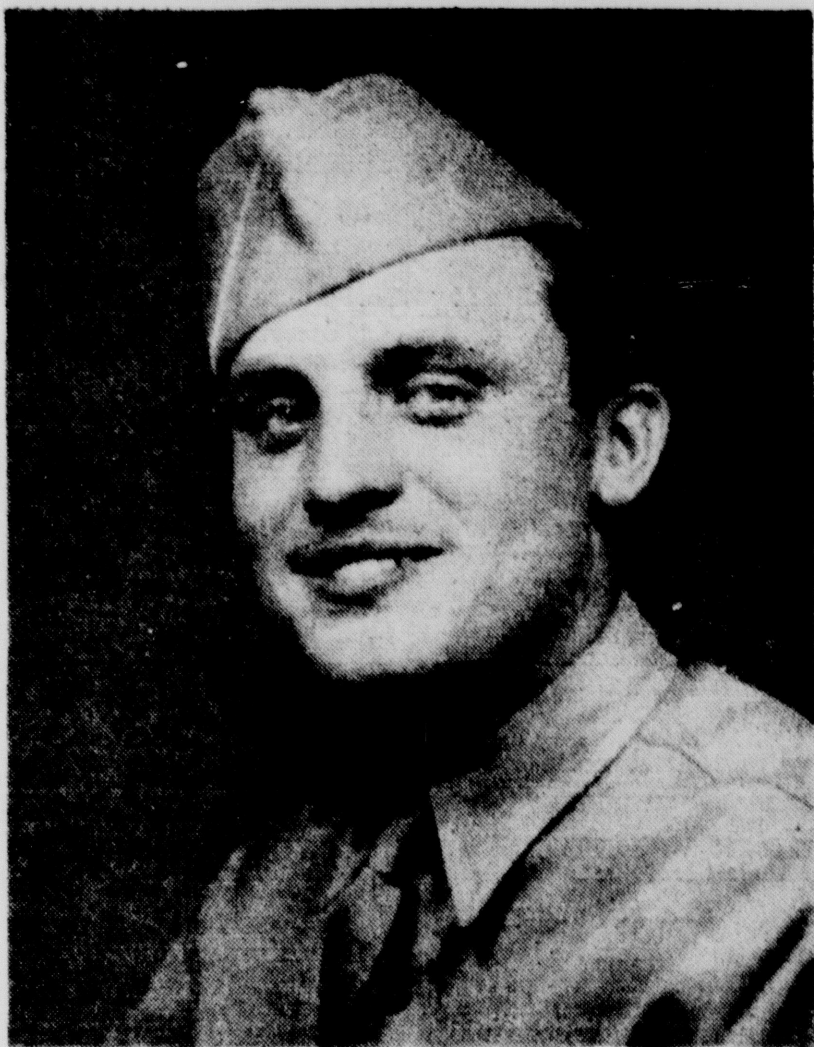
This g-guy goes to radio school
And we know well he's no f-f-ool
Maybe sometimes he'll take a d-d-rink
Yep, none other than good old K-k-krenk.

He led us here, he led us there,
Of all his boys he took good care;
Lieutenant Armellino's the chap
But now we boys will have to call him "Cap."

Lieutenant Avery took the boys
And he has shown us many joys;
We're new to him—he to us, but still
We have a feeling he'll fill the bill.

Now here's me from a mid west state,
My hair is falling from my pate;
I think of my wife most of my time
My greatest joy is Sicilian wine.

The North, the South, the East the West
Has each sent Uncle Sam her best
And the above have all done their share
To keep that freedom we loved back there.



Pictures above is Pfc. Donald Griffith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Griffith of 221 May Court, who wrote the adjoining poem to the left while on duty with the U. S. Armed Forces in Sicily. All the boys mentioned in the poem are associates of Donald's in Sicily.



This week at the Harlingen aerial gunnery school in Texas' warm Rio Grande Valley, another large class of Aviation Cadets completed the flexible gunnery course here and were awarded silver Aerial Gunner's Wings.

Included among the graduate Aviation Cadet Aerial Gunners from Dixon was Ferris J. Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. George F. Walker of 922 South Galena avenue.

In keeping with Army Air Forces policy that every aircrew member must do his own job and, in addition, be able to man the caliber 50 guns that are the bombers' protection, the Cadets came to the gunnery school after pre-flight training at one of the Central Flying Training Command's bombardier or navigator schools. They have spent six weeks of intensive training here in every phase of aerial gunnery warfare in order to learn how to "double in lead."

From Harlingen they will go to an advanced school to complete their training, win a second lieutenant's commission and another pair of wings. Then they will be fully qualified members of an aerial combat team, ready to serve either in their regular post or to man the guns.

At the school here, they learned to fire every type gun from camera to the big Brownings; saw their bullets tear sleeve targets being towed high over the Gulf of Mexico; and fired hundreds of rounds of ammunition into moving targets on the ground range.

The mailing address of Technical Corporal Jesse Morris is 11th Transport Group, 18th Transport Squadron, Hamilton Field, Calif.

Pvt. Joseph H. Crawford is now receiving mail as follows: S. N. 17081794, Company H, 87th Mtn. Infantry, APO 730, care Seattle, Washington.



Ensign Willard (Woody) Thompson, graduated Oct. 9 from the Coast Guard Academy at New London, Conn., with special destroyer training. He is now stationed at St. Augustine, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Sterling, 221 Dement avenue, have received word that their son, Robert, Jr., was one of the first five men to be assigned to duty on the powerful destroyer escort vessels.

The vessels are being manned by members of the coast guard. Sterling, who recently received a promotion to chief pharmacist's mate, entered the coast guard in August, 1942, with the rating of pharmacist's mate. He received his first training at Custer Bay, Md., and then was transferred to Brown ship yards, Tex., where this type of vessel is built.

Pfc. Charles Reed has arrived home on 30-day leave with his father, Leo Reed, 911 College avenue. This is his first visit home in three years, he having enlisted Feb. 11, 1941. He has seen 12 months of active service in the North African campaign. He has two brothers in the service, Delbert, now in Hawaii who was home recently on a 45 day leave and Francis who is on active duty with the Tenth Air Force in India.

Mrs. Leo Reed, mother of the three soldiers, passed away while Delbert was home on furlough in August. Charles brought many interesting stories and souvenirs home, and at the expiration of his furlough will be stationed permanently at Camp Grant. He is a nephew of Mrs. Harry Reid also residing at 911 College avenue. Sgt. Harry Reid is now stationed in M. P. Company at Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

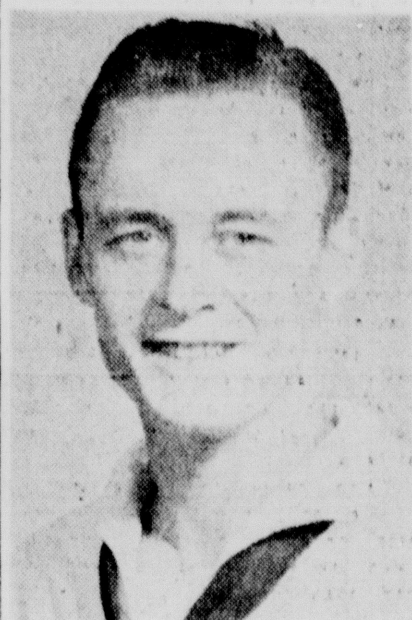
Corporal Carl Schnake is home on a furlough from Fort Benning, Georgia, visiting his mother and friends.

Personnel of Chanute Field Doing Their Part in War Drive

Chanute Field, Ill.—Soldiers, officers, and civilians at this field of the Army Air Forces Training Command are doing their part to help stop human suffering—they are contributing generously to the National War Fund Drive for \$125,000,000.

Sunday, Oct. 31, soldiers at this field started their contributions. Seventy soldiers from the University of Illinois were in squadrons collecting voluntary contributions for a cause soldiers here believe worthy. USO centers throughout the world are supported by the fund.

In addition to helping 14 war relief agencies, money will be used for the War Prisoners' Aid through which American prisoners in Japan and Europe receive books, athletic equipment, religious articles and other material to help them in nerve-wrought moments of monotony.



Dwight (Light) Thompson, 2nd Class Petty Officer, Naval Construction Battalion, got his boot training at Camp Perry, Williamsburg, Va., advanced training at Camp Endicott, Dinwiddie, R. I., and is now at an advance base depot, Gulfport, Miss., with Bat. 116, Headquarters Company, on special camouflage training.



Harold G. Platten, Pharmacist Mate Third Class of the U. S. Navy is now stationed somewhere in the Southwest Pacific. Harold is the son of Mrs. Rachel Platten of 918 Oak Court Place and received his boot training at Great Lakes, Ill. Harold sends his best regards to his many friends in Dixon. His mailing address is U. S. N. Mobile Hospital No. 8, care Fleet Post Office, San Francisco, Calif.

A new recruit at the U. S. Naval Training Station, Great Lakes, Illinois, is Francis Lavern Dougherty, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Leonard Dougherty, 717 So. Hennepin avenue, Dixon, Ill.

Now undergoing "boot" training, he is being indoctrinated into Navy Life, and is being instructed in Seamanship, military drill, and naval procedure. Soon, he will be given a series of aptitude tests to determine whether he will be selected to attend one of the Navy's service schools, or will be assigned to active duty at sea.

Upon completion of his recent training, he will be granted a nine-day leave.



Cpl. Harold A. Morris, who recently returned to Camp Hood, Texas, after a short furlough, has been promoted to the rank of Technical Sergeant third class. His present mailing address is 539th Ordnance Co (H. M. Tk) 310th Ordnance Bn, Camp Hood, Texas.



Pfc. Raymond E. Johnson, who has been stationed at Corpus Christi, Texas, has been promoted to the rank of corporal. The mailing address of Cpl. Johnson is as follows: U. S. M. C. Barracks 11, Section 15 M. A. O.-N. A. T. C., Ward Island, Corpus Christi, Tex.

Tech. Sgt. William F. Helfrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Helfrick, is now receiving mail as follows: 36325201, 69th Fighter Group, APO 4162K, care Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif.

Lt. Hal Roberts of Dixon is now in North Africa, where he is attached to Col. Melvin Purvis' military Police, Major Oliver (Buck) Kempster is also a member of this force.

The present mailing address of Herbert F. Potratz is as follows: Co. B, Platoon H-1, 92nd Naval Coast Batt., care Fleet Post Office, San Francisco, Calif.

Sgt. John A. Blackburn, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Blackburn of Harmon, Ill., is now receiving mail as follows: 36038105, Co. B, 21st Armored Infantry Regiment, APO 261, care Postmaster, Los Angeles, Calif.

Staff Sgt. A. J. Bradley has been promoted to the rank of Technical Sergeant it was reported here. The mailing address of Tech. Sgt. Bradley is Battery B, 356th A. A. S. L. En. Sem., Camp Hulen, Texas.



"Your furlough pass, please!"

Generals of Two Wars



In this new photo-portrait, Gen. George C. Marshall, U. S. Army chief of staff, sits at his desk before a painting of World War I's Gen. John J. Pershing.

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The Dixon Council of Civilian Defense shipped a carload of scrap tin this week in co-operation with the nationwide drive for the salvage of scrap metal.

Mayor William V. Slothower, chairman of the Dixon O. C. D., was assisted in the loading of the box car by Boy Scout Troop No. 71 from the Dixon State Hospital and their scoutmaster, Leon Aercke. The troop contains 32 members, and has been very active in scouting work for many years. Sixteen of the boys worked on Tuesday of this week at the old oatmeal factory where the car was prepared for shipment.

The group is shown above on a loading platform at the close of the day's work. They are, from the left, front row: Mayor Wm. V. Slothower, Don Ewert, Emanuel Rodriguez, Danny Shannahan, Joe Dedick, Anthony De Palma, and Leon Aercke, Scoutmaster. Second row: John Yano, Milton Kunz, John Garcez, Joe Gnat, John Tiber, and John Sosik. Third row: Tommy Bruner, Dean Jones, Elvador Michum, Donald Soper, and Peter Katauskas.

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Attend Convention

A convention of the W. M. S. of the United Lutheran Church of America is being held in the Trinity Lutheran church in Rockford Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Delegates from the Polo W. M. S. were Mrs. Anna Byers, Mrs. Cora Travis and for the Edith Eykamp Missionary society are Mrs. O. Glen Isley and Mrs. M. G. Coffey.

Polo Briefs

Russell Good, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Good, has not been moved from the Dixon hospital to a Minneapolis clinic, as printed in the Polo News Thursday. Due to crowded conditions they were unable to secure a room.

Mrs. Axel Olsen, Mrs. Alvis Buck and Mrs. Ralph Reed were Rockford visitors this week.

Ensign Robert R. Clothier, wife and son spent several days in the C. R. Clothier and John Scholl homes. Ensign Clothier has been at Harvard university for the past six months.

Mrs. Jesse Frye, Jr. returned Tuesday from Camp Hood, Tex., where she had spent the past month with her husband.

POLO CHURCHES

Evangelical Church
Willis Plapp, minister.
10 a. m., Sunday school. E. A. Yuench, superintendent.
11 a. m., Morning worship. Sermon, "What Is the Church Doing?"
7:30 p. m., Evening service. Sermon on the ninth commandment: "Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbor."
7 and 7:30 Thursday, choir practice.

Christian Church
Albert S. Nelson, pastor.
10 a. m., Worship service. Sermon, "Belshazzar's Feast."
11 a. m., Sunday school. R. R. Frouke, superintendent.
The Loyal Women's class of the Christian church will meet with Mrs. Lettie Rummolds at 408 E. Dixon street, Wednesday, Nov. 10 at 7:30 p. m. Leader, Mrs. Crouch.

Choir practice, 7:45 p. m., Nov. 6.
Methodist Church
Ralph Grieser, minister.
10 a. m., Church school.
11 a. m., Worship. World Or-Day. Flag blessing and roll of service men will be called.
7:30 p. m., Youth Fellowship. Edwin Drew, president.

First Presbyterian Church
C. J. Pierson, minister.
10 a. m., Church school. H. D.

White, superintendent.
Devotional singing and Bible study.

11 a. m., Worship. Organist, Mrs. Milbrey Mulinix. Choir director, Miss Lucile Entorf. Sermon, "Strengthening Words."
Evangelical Lutheran Church
Rev. Martin G. Kabele, pastor.
10 a. m., Sunday school.
11 a. m., Church worship service.

7:30 p. m., Sunday, Young, unmarried adults will meet at the church. Refreshments will be served.

Tuesday, Sunday School Administrative Committee will meet at 7:30 p. m.

St. Mary's Church
Rev. A. Deitch, pastor.
9 a. m. to 10 a. m., Catechism classes for children under the direction of the Dominican Sisters in Dixon.

8:30 a. m., Mass.
Church of the Brethren
M. E. Clingenpeel, pastor.
10 a. m., Church school. R. O. Blough, superintendent.

11 a. m., Church worship service. Rev. C. W. Stauffer will preach the sermon. The pastor will be away on district work in a mission church in Wisconsin.
7:30 p. m., The young people will present a temperance play, "What Shall It Profit?"

Entertainers Bridge Club

Mrs. Eileen Johnson entertained the Wednesday Night Bridge club at her home. Prizes were won by Mrs. Leslie Cannell, high, and Miss Dorothy Reynolds, low. Refreshments were served by the hostess at the close of the evening.

Highland P. T. A. to Meet

The Highland school P. T. A. met Thursday evening, November 4, at the school at 8 o'clock. Rev. Albion Tavenner of Sterling had charge of the program and showed pictures. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

Loyal Women's Class Meets

The Loyal Women's class of the Christian church will meet with Mrs. Lettie Rummolds at her home on East Dixon street Wednesday evening, Nov. 10, at 7:30 o'clock. Mrs. Crouch will be the leader for the evening.

Hold First Aid Class

The first aid class of the Pine Creek district met at the Pine Creek Christian church Tuesday evening under the direction of C. C. Parks.

Junior Woman's Club

The Junior Woman's club will meet Tuesday evening, Nov. 8th, at the home of Mrs. Warren Johnson at 7:30 o'clock. Mrs. George Galor will have charge of the program, her topic being "Respect to the Flag."

Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Shrock of Oregon announce the engagement of their daughter, Mildred to

TODAY on the HOME FRONT

by JAMES MARLOW and GEORGE ZIELKE

Washington, Nov. 6.—(AP)—They laughed when the Victory Gardeners set out to do his bit by raising vegetables in any little space he could dig up.

The agriculture department, at the beginning, was a bit cool toward the idea. Its first Victory Garden bulletin said, "If you are experienced and have a good garden plot, go ahead but if you aren't, don't—because you would be wasting seed and fertilizer and taking tools away from those who could use them."

And now? President Roosevelt told congress:

"Much credit is due to the patriotic men and women who spent so much time and energy in planting 20,000,000 Victory Gardens in the United States, and helped to meet the food requirements. It is estimated that about 8,000,000 tons of food were produced in these Victory Gardens."

The official view now is that any waste of seed and fertilizer by the inexperienced gardener is slight in comparison to the savings in terms of labor, transportation, packaging or canning required for an equivalent amount of food produced commercially.

There is no shortage of seed, the WFA says, there will be a supply of improved fertilizers available for Victory Gardeners and there is a plan to increase the supply of small garden tools, hand cultivators, sprayers and dusters.

There's just one general bit of advice food officials offer:

Better not try to grow such crops as sweet corn, potatoes and green peas which take up a lot of space. Concentrate instead on such crops as tomatoes, green and yellow leafy vegetables like carrots, green beans, lettuce and onions.

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REGULAR MEETINGS
Official board—Second Monday.
Circle Society—Third Monday.
Philathea class—Fourth Monday.
Young People's class—Last Tuesday.
Bethany class—Second Thursday.

Junior choir—Every Thursday.
Senior choir—Every Thursday.
A welcome is extended to all; provision is made for the whole family to come and participate in the services of this church.
Trinity Lutheran Church

Paul Bennett, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bennett of Chana. Mr. and Mrs. Shrock are former residents of Polo and Mildred attended Polo Community high school.

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TWICE this week audiences in Dixon heard from men of different parts of the orient as they told their stories of the onrush of the Japs and the woefully inadequate way in which they were met by inferior numbers of British. On Tuesday night Dean Smith told the Talk-of-the-Hour club how he escaped from Burma just ahead of the enemy and on Thursday night the Foreign Travel club heard H. R. Dyas tell of leaving Singapore on one of the last boats to leave the city.

MR. SMITH told of the tremendous amount of red tape that it was necessary to go through in order to go from one part of the country to another. The British gathered in a huge force of clerks for the work and as trucks approached a city they were halted and had to wait for a permit to go to the other side of the city where they probably would have to have another permit to go on to the next town. For instance on the Burma road the actual traveling time was two and one-half days whereas the actual time required for permitted movements was about three weeks. All of this even when war was starting!

MR. DYAS told of how the Japs advanced down the peninsula of Malay and how the British were apparently not worried even when the enemy was starting to land on the very island where the city was located. He told of being in a large machine shop when the British demolition gangs came to destroy the big machinery ahead of the Japs. The workers in the shop were entirely unaware of the seriousness of the situation and could hardly believe their eyes as the soldiers started their work of destruction.

THE willingness of the Chinese to sacrifice their manpower to save their country was told by Mr. Smith and he felt that if as small amount as two per cent of our lend-lease material were sent to China they could do some fine work. It was significant that the material which could be sent would be guns and equipment which has been outmoded on the European front, but which would be very adequate on the Chinese front.

NEITHER man underestimated the ability of the Japs in the matter of strategy. Mr. Smith told of the way the enemy would come over the Burmese towns and entice the small British force to chase them back to the frontier and while they were gone another group of planes would come in from another direction to bomb the town while it was unprotected. Mr. Dyas said that the breakthrough of the line across the Malay peninsula seemed to come on

the western coast where tired troops who had fought a delaying battle down to the line had to fill in because there were not enough fresh soldiers there.

THE Flying Tigers came in for considerable praise by Smith as he told how they helped protect different towns and different groups as the Japs were coming and as the refugees were leaving. He felt that plenty of equipment and encouragement would have helped them immeasurably. The problem of getting material into China did not seem so difficult to him. It is true that in very few places is it possible to construct a road safe for motor transportation, but he pointed out that coolies had carried whole factories back into the hills so that production might be continued after the enemy moved into China. He said that the same methods of transportation could be used to take lend-lease material through the footpaths which go into China's back door.

THE escapes of the two men were equally exciting. Mr. Dyas was right at a seaport so his big task was to find a boat which was leaving the harbor and which would not be bombed or blown up by mines as it left the Sangapore base. He found a boat and embarked on the morning of Feb. 11—they pulled out away from the wharf and then waited all day to get away. The battle for the city was a huge panorama before their eyes. Both the Japs and British demolition squads were causing destruction in preparation for the surrender which took place on Feb. 15.

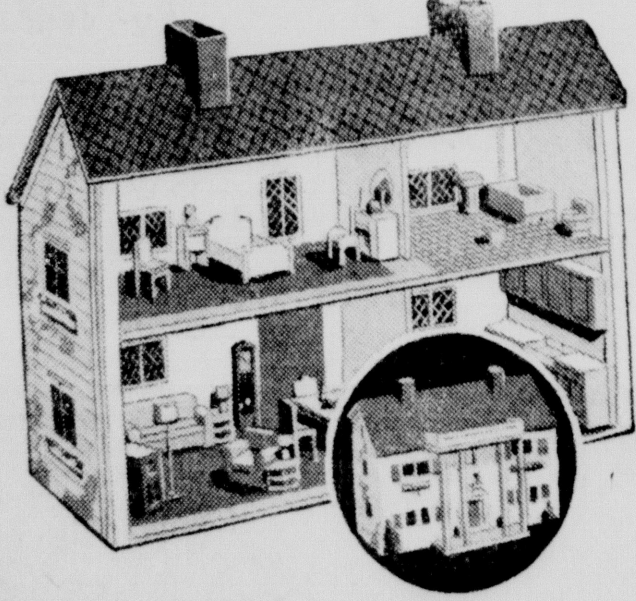
AN INTERESTING observation was made concerning what was left. Both sides were careful not to destroy food and anything which the natives might need to live. For example: the huge dairy herd for which Mr. Dyas cared was left intact although the Japs were bombing positions and roads on all sides of the 200-acre farm. He had not known very many Japs in his stay over there, but there had been a few and he remembered that they had been out around the farm taking pictures sometimes!

THE problem of escape in Burma was entirely different. There it was necessary to reach a seaport town and the best way to do that was to go through India. So Mr. Smith found himself thrown in with a group of probably 60,000 refugees as they made their slow and painful way to safety. Of course the ocean trip back to the United States was in both cases a long nerve strain of wondering about submarines and planes, but both men reached home unharmed. They have a story to tell and unless the peace-planners listen to some of these people who were in on the preparation for this last war and find out the real background they can never expect to have a lasting peace.

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COMMENCING AT 8:30 P. M.

ADMISSION 25 CENTS

and instruction convenes at 10:00 a. m. A representative of the Gideons will speak at the worship service. Church school classes for all ages. You are welcome.

The youth group meets at 6:00 p. m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Henricks.

The third of a series of services dealing with the "Basis of a Just and Durable Peace" will be held at 7:30. Mr. Ivan Kinsley of the Leaf River high school faculty will be the leader, the subject being "The Political Costs of Peace." Anyone interested is invited to attend.

An important workers' conference of all church school officers and teachers will be held at the church Tuesday evening at 7:30.

The Ladies' Aid society meets Thursday afternoon.

The Men's Chorus rehearses Thursday evening at 7:00.

The mid-week prayer service will be held Thursday evening at 7:30.

Sponsored by the Ladies' Aid

Society, a colored travel movie, "Adventures in Dreamland," will be shown at the church Saturday evening, November 13, at 7:30, by Julian Gromer of Elgin. This will be a showing of beautiful colored pictures of Alaska, Yellowstone, National Park and the Teton mountains. A silver offering will be received. The people of the community are invited.

"POUCH BOOTS"
Dogs that accompany Coast Guardsmen on beach patrol are outfitted with canvas boots to protect their feet from cuts by sea-shells in the sand at the water's edge. Laces of the canine over-shoes are tied around the dog's legs above the boot top.

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— AT —
LINCOLN LANES
East on Airport Road

DIXON THEATRE

Matinees Next Week: Mon. - Wed. - Sat.

FINAL SHOWINGS TODAY—CONTINUOUS FROM 2:30

GEORGE MONTGOMERY
ANNABELLA
— in —

'Bomber's Moon'

HOPALONG CASSIDY
— in —
'Undercover Man'

Sports - News

SUNDAY -- Continuous From 2:30

Then: MONDAY - TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY

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SPECTACULAR TRIUMPH!

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With this thrilling MARCH OF MUSIC!
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Extra SCREEN SNAPSHOTS, FEATURING News

KAY KYSER - ROBERT CUMMINGS

SUPER MOUSE in "DOWN WITH CATS"

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Matinees Next Week

TUES. - THURS. - FRI.

LAST TIMES THIS EVENING—OPEN AT 6 P. M.

Marked for Death!

'The 7th Victim'

JEAN BROOKS and

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Hot Lead & Fists of Steel

RUSSELL HAYDEN in

'SILVER CITY

RAIDERS'

Sunday - Monday - Tuesday - Wednesday

Sunday Continuous From 2:30

THE PROUDEST PICTURE OF THEM ALL!

IN TECHNICOLOR!
SALUTE TO MARINE
Starring
WALLACE BEERY
with Fay Bainter
Reginald OWEN
A Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Picture

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John Nesbitt's Passing Parade—"Forgotten Treasure"

Cartoon in Color, "War Dogs" - Travel - News